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Calendar for 1961

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EASTER DAY, APRIL 2nd. WHIT SUNDAY, MAY 21st.

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EASTER DAY, APRIL 22nd. WHIT SUNDAY, JUNE 10th.

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EASTER DAY, APRIL 14th. WHIT SUNDAY, JUNE 2nd.

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DAYS AND DATES, 1962

Accession Day (1952)	Feb. 6
St. Valentine's Day	,, 14
St. David's Day	Mar. 1
Shrove Tuesday	,, 6
Ash Wednesday	,, 7
St. Patrick's Day	,, 17
Good Friday	Apr.20
H.M. The Queen's Birthday (1926)	,, 21
Easter Monday (Bank Holiday)	,, 23
St. George's Day	,, 23
Royal Academy Opens	May 5
Commonwealth Day	,, 24
Ascension Day	,, 31
Whit Monday (Bank Holiday)	June11
H.M. Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother's Birthday	Aug. 4
Bank Holiday	,, 6
Grouse Shooting Begins	,, 13
Royal Academy Closes	,, 19
Partridge Shooting Begins	Sept. 1
Pheasant Shooting Begins	Oct. 1
Fox Hunting Begins	Nov. 1
Remembrance Sunday	,, 11
St. Andrew's Day	,, 30
Christmas Day	Dec.25
Boxing Day (Bank Holiday)	,, 26

Quarter Days:—March 25, June 24, Sept. 29, Dec. 25.

UNIVERSITY TERMS

OXFORD

	Term		Full Term	
	Begins	Ends	Begins	Ends
Hilary	Jan. 10	Apri. 14	Jan. 21	Mar. 17
Trinity	Apr. 25	July 7	Apr. 29	June 23
	Encœnia, Wednesday, June 27th.			
Michaelmas	Oct. 1	Dec. 17	Oct. 14	Dec. 8

CAMBRIDGE

Lent	Jan. 5	Mar. 25	Jan. 16	Mar. 16
Easter	Apr. 10	June 18	Apr. 24	June 15
Michaelmas	Oct. 1	Dec. 19	Oct. 9	Dec. 7

DURHAM

Epiphany	January 23	March 24
Easter	May 1	June 30
Michaelmas	October 9	December 15 (Prov.)

LAW SITTINGS

	Begins	Ends
Hilary	January 11	April 18
Easter	May 1	June 8
Trinity	June 19	July 31
Michaelmas	October 1	December 21

The Michaelmas Sittings may be altered by Order in Council.

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(Correct at time of going to press)

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POSTCARDS

Single, 2½d.; reply paid, 5d.

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With the exceptions shown, the above charges also apply to postal packets, remittances, etc., for the Irish Republic.

RACING FIXTURES 1962

		(Flat Racing will commence on Monday, March 26th)		No. of days
April	10	(Tuesday)	Newmarket Craven	3
,,	23	(Easter Monday)		
,,	24	(Tuesday)	Epsom Spring	3
May	1	(Tuesday)	Newmarket Spring	3
June	5	(Tuesday)	Epsom Summer	4
,,	11	(Whit Monday)		
,,	19	(Tuesday)	Royal Ascot	4
July	3	(Tuesday)	Newmarket July	3
,,	31	(Tuesday)	Goodwood	4
August	10	(Friday)	Newmarket	2
September	11	(Tuesday)	Doncaster	4
October	3	(Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday)	Newmarket October	3
,,	16	(Tuesday)	Newmarket Houghton ..	3

The above Dates have been supplied by the courtesy of the Jockey Club.

TABLE FOR WAGES, Etc.

Per Year	Per Month			Per Week			Per Day			Per Year	Per Month			Per Week			Per Day		
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3	0	5	0	0	1	1¾	0	0	2	50	4	3	4	0	19	2	0	2	10
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11	0	18	4	0	4	2¾	0	0	7¼	250	20	16	8	4	16	1¾	0	13	8¾
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16	1	6	8	0	6	1¾	0	0	10½	600	50	0	0	11	10	9¼	1	12	10½
17	1	8	4	0	6	6¼	0	0	11¼	700	58	6	8	13	9	2¾	1	18	4¼
18	1	10	0	0	6	10¾	0	0	11¾	800	66	13	4	15	7	8¼	2	3	10
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LONDON (Greenwich) SUNRISE AND SUNSET TIMES 1962

	Rise	Set		Rise	Set		Rise	Set
Jan. 6	8.05	4.07	May 5	4.26	7.29	Sept. 1	5.12	6.47
Jan. 13	8.01	4.16	May 12	4.14	7.40	Sept. 8	5.23	6.31
Jan. 20	7.55	4.28	May 19	4.03	7.51	Sept. 15	5.34	6.16
Jan. 27	7.46	4.40	May 26	3.55	8.00	Sept. 22	5.45	6.00
Feb. 3	7.36	4.53	June 2	3.48	8.08	Sept. 29	5.57	5.43
Feb. 10	7.24	5.05	June 9	3.44	8.14	Oct. 6	6.08	5.28
Feb. 17	7.11	5.18	June 16	3.42	8.19	Oct. 13	6.19	5.13
Feb. 24	6.57	5.31	June 23	3.43	8.21	Oct. 20	6.32	4.57
Mar. 3	6.42	5.43	June 30	3.46	8.20	Oct. 27	6.44	4.43
Mar. 10	6.27	5.55	July 7	3.52	8.17	Nov. 3	6.56	4.30
Mar. 17	6.11	6.07	July 14	3.59	8.12	Nov. 10	7.08	4.19
Mar. 24	5.55	6.19	July 21	4.07	8.05	Nov. 17	7.21	4.09
Mar. 31	5.39	6.31	July 28	4.17	7.55	Nov. 24	7.32	4.01
Apr. 7	5.23	6.42	Aug. 4	4.27	7.44	Dec. 1	7.43	3.55
Apr. 14	5.08	6.54	Aug. 11	4.39	7.31	Dec. 8	7.52	3.52
Apr. 21	4.53	7.06	Aug. 18	4.49	7.18	Dec. 15	7.58	3.51
Apr. 28	4.39	7.17	Aug. 25	5.01	7.03	Dec. 22	8.03	3.54
						Dec. 29	8.05	3.58

When SUMMER TIME is in force, One Hour must be added to the above times

SUNDAY LESSONS

DATE 1962		MATINS		EVENSONG	
		FIRST	SECOND	FIRST	SECOND
Jan.	6	Isaiah lx	Luke iii, 15-23	Isaiah xlix, 13-24	John ii, 1-12
,,	7	Isaiah li	Matthew iv, 23 to v. 13	Isaiah lii, 13 and liii or liv	Acts iv, 1-23
,,	14	Isaiah lv	Matthew viii, 18	Isaiah lvii or lxi	Acts viii, 26
,,	21	Isaiah lxii	Matthew xii, 22	Isaiah lxv or lxvi	Acts xiii, 1-26
,,	28	Job xxvii	Matthew xv, 21	Job xxviii or xxix	Acts xvii, 1-16
Feb.	4	Proverbs i	Matthew xix, 27 to xx, 17	Proverbs iii or viii	Acts xxi, 1-17
,,	11	Proverbs ix	Matthew xxiii, 13	Proverbs xi or xv	Acts xxvi
,,	18	Genesis i and ii, 1-4	Revelations xxi, 1-9	Genesis ii, 4 or Job xxxviii	Revelations xxi, 9 to xxii, 6
,,	25	Genesis iii	Mark ii, 1-23	Genesis vi or viii	Romans viii, 18
Mar.	4	Genesis ix, 1-20	Mark vi, 14	Genesis xii or xiii	Romans xiii
,,	7	Isaiah lviii, 1-13	Mark ii, 13-23	Jonah iii	Hebrews xii, 3-18
,,	11	Genesis xix, 12-30	Mark x, 1-32	Genesis xxii, 1-20 or xxiii	1 Corinthians iv, 1-18
,,	18	Genesis xxvii, 1-41	Mark xiv, 1-27	Genesis xxviii or xxxii	1 Corinthians x and xi, 1
,,	25	Genesis iii, 1-16	Luke i, 46	Isaiah lii, 7-13	1 Corinthians xv, 1-35
April	1	Genesis xlii	Luke v, 17	Genesis xliii or xlv	2 Corinthians v
,,	8	Exodus iii	Luke ix, 1-28	Exodus v or vi, 1-14	2 Corinthians xi, 30 to xii, 14
,,	15	Exodus ix	Luke xii, 35	Exodus x or xi	Galatians v, 13
,,	20	Genesis xxii, 1-20	John xviii	Isaiah lii, 13 and liii	1 Peter ii
,,	22	Exodus xii, 1-29	Revelation i, 10-19	Exodus xii, 29 or xiv	John xx, 1-19 or Revelation v
,,	29	Numbers xvi, 1-36	1 Corinthians, xv, 1-29	Numbers xvi, 36 or xvii, 1-12	John xx, 24-30
May	6	Numbers xx, 1-14	Luke xxiii, 26-50	Numbers xx, 14 to xxi 10 or xxi, 10	1 Thessalonians iii
,,	13	Numbers xxii	John iii, 24	Numbers xxiii or xxiv	1 Timothy i, 18 and ii
,,	20	Deuteronomy iv, 1-23	John vi, 41	Deuteronomy iv, 23-41 or v	2 Timothy iii
,,	27	Deuteronomy vi	John x, 22	Deuteronomy, ix or x	Hebrews ii and iii, 1-7
,,	31	Daniel vii, 9-15	Luke xxiv, 44	2 Kings ii, 1-16	Hebrews iv
June	3	Deuteronomy xxx	John xiv	Deuteronomy xxxiv or Joshua i	Hebrews x, 1-19
,,	10	Deuteronomy xvi, 1-18	Romans viii 1-18	Isaiah xi or Ezekiel xxxvi, 25	Galatians v, 16 or Acts xviii, 24 to xix, 21
,,	17	Isaiah vi, 1-11	Revelation i, 1-9	Genesis xviii or i and ii, 1-4	Ephesians iv, 1-17 or Matthew iii
,,	24	Malachi iii, 1-75	Matthew iii	Malachi iv	Matthew xiv, 1-13
July	1	Genesis xvii, 9	Romans ii, 17	Deuteronomy x, 12	Colosians ii, 8-18
,,	8	1 Samuel ii, 1-27	Acts xiv	1 Samuel iii or iv, 1-19	Matthew iii
,,	15	1 Samuel xii	Acts xviii, 24 to xix, 21	1 Samuel xiii or Ruth i	Matthew vii, 7
,,	22	1 Samuel xv, 1-24	Acts xxii, 23 to xxiii, 12	1 Samuel xvi or xvii	Matthew xi
,,	29	2 Samuel i	Acts xxviii, 1-17	2 Samuel xii, 1-24 or xviii	Matthew xv, 1-21
Aug.	5	1 Chronicles xxi	Romans v	1 Chronicles xxii or xxviii, 1-21	Matthew xix, 3 to 27
,,	12	1 Chronicles xxix, 9-29	Romans x	2 Chronicles i or 1 Kings iii	Matthew xxii, 41 to xxiii, 13
,,	19	1 Kings x, 1-25	Romans xvi	1 Kings xi, 1-15 or xi, 26	Matthew xxvi, 31-57
,,	26	1 Kings xii	1 Corinthians vii, 1-25	1 Kings xiii or xvii	Mark i, 21
Sept.	2	1 Kings xviii	1 Corinthians xii, 1-28	1 Kings xix or xxi	Mark vi, 1-14
,,	9	1 Kings xxii, 1-41	2 Corinthians, i 1-23	2 Kings ii, 1-16 or iv, 8-38	Mark ix, 30
,,	16	2 Kings v	2 Corinthians viii	2 Kings vi, 1-24 or vii	Mark xiii, 14
,,	23	2 Kings ix	Galatians ii	2 Kings x ,1-32 or xiii	Luke i, 26-57
,,	30	2 Kings xviii	Ephesians i	2 Kings xix, or xxiii 1-31	Luke iv, 16
Oct.	7	2 Chronicles xxxvi	Phillipians i	Nehemiah i and ii, 1-9 or viii	Luke viii, 1-26
,,	14	Jeremiah v	Colossians iii, 1-18	Jeremiah xxii or xxxv	Luke xi, 29
,,	21	Jeremiah xxxvi	2 Thessalonians i	Ezekiel ii or xiii, 1-17	Luke xv, 11
,,	28	Isaiah xxviii, 9-17	1 Timothy v	Jeremiah iii, 11-19	Luke xix, 28
Nov.	4	Ezekiel xxxiv	Titus i	Ezekiel xxxvii or Daniel i	Luke xxii, 54
,,	11	Daniel iii	Hebrews iv, 14 and v	Daniel iv or v	John ii
,,	18	Daniel vi	Hebrews xi, 1-17	Daniel vii, 9 or xii	John vi, 1-22
,,	25	Eccles xi and xii	James iv	Haggai ii, 1-10 or Malachi iii and iv	John ix, 1-39
Dec.	2	Isaiah i	1 Peter iv, 7	Isaiah ii or iv, 2	John xii, 20
,,	9	Isaiah v	1 John ii, 15	Isaiah xi, 1-11 or xxiv	John xvii
,,	16	Isaiah xxv	Jude	Isaiah xxvi or xxviii, 5-19	John xxi
,,	23	Isaiah xxx, 1-27	Revelations xi	Isaiah xxxii or xxxiii, 2-23	Revelations xii
,,	25	Isaiah ix, 1-8	Luke ii, 1-15	Isaiah vii, 10-17	Titus iii, 4-9
,,	30	Isaiah xxxv	Revelations xx	Isaiah xxxviii or xl	Revelations xxi, 1-15

JANUARY 1962 FEBRUARY

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● New Moon ☽ First Quarter
○ Full Moon ☾ Last Quarter

PHASES OF THE MOON

6th ● 12.35 p.m. 20th ○ 6.16 p.m.
13th ☽ 5.01 a.m. 28th ☾ 11.36 p.m.

PHASES OF THE MOON

5th ● 12.10 a.m. 19th ○ 1.18 p.m.
11th ☽ 3.43 p.m. 27th ☾ 3.50 p.m.

MARCH 1962 APRIL

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PHASES OF THE MOON

6th ● 10.31 a.m. 21st ○ 7.55 a.m.
13th ☽ 4.39 a.m. 29th ☾ 4.11 a.m.

PHASES OF THE MOON

4th ● 7.45 p.m. 20th ○ 12.33 a.m.
11th ☽ 7.50 p.m. 27th ☾ 12.59 p.m.

MAY 1962 JUNE

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PHASES OF THE MOON

4th ● 4.25 a.m. 19th ○ 2.32 p.m.
11th ☽ 12.44 p.m. 26th ☾ 7.05 p.m.

PHASES OF THE MOON

2nd ● 1.27 p.m. 18th ○ 2.02 a.m.
10th ☽ 6.21 a.m. 24th ☾ 11.42 p.m.

JULY 1962 AUGUST

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PHASES OF THE MOON

1st ● 11.52 p.m. 24th ☾ 4.18 a.m.
9th ☽ 11.39 p.m. 31st ● 12.24 p.m.
17th ○ 11.41 a.m.

PHASES OF THE MOON

8th ☽ 3.55 p.m. 22nd ☾ 10.26 a.m.
15th ○ 8.09 p.m. 30th ● 3.09 a.m.

SEPTEMBER 1962 OCTOBER

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PHASES OF THE MOON

7th	☽	6.44 a.m.	20th	☾	7.36 p.m.
14th	○	4.11 a.m.	28th	●	7.39 p.m.

PHASES OF THE MOON

6th	☽	7.54 p.m.	20th	☾	8.47 a.m.
13th	○	12.33 p.m.	28th	●	1.05 p.m.

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NOVEMBER 1962 DECEMBER

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PHASES OF THE MOON

5th ☽ 7.15 a.m. 19th ☾ 2.09 a.m.
11th ○ 10.03 p.m. 27th ● 6.29 a.m.

DECEMBER

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PHASES OF THE MOON

4th ☽ 4.48 p.m. 18th ☾ 10.42 p.m.
11th ○ 9.27 a.m. 26th ● 10.59 p.m.

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Memoranda

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Monday, January 1

New Year's Day
Bank Holiday (Scotland)

Up 7.30
At my desk 9.50
Paid Matilda £12.18.6
The whole family
Alfreda Thomas Katie
Bobbie drove up from
Amberley in hired car for
lunch. I went to rest
and they went out
They came back after
tea and then went out
to dinner and the play
Katie and Alfreda
spent the night and the
boys put up elsewhere
I had nap in chair after
dinner

Tuesday, January 2

Wednesday, January 3

Up 7.20 opened windows
and put on Cardigans
and dressing gown and
rang for Matilda
after shaving. She
brought wash basin
as usual and then
orange and tea.
I had bath and was
dressing when Alfreda
brought Kate to say
goodbye before putting
her on plane for Boston.
Mrs Fry called. To rest
after lunch. Thomas
and Alfreda came at tea
time; but did not
dine; but came in late

Thursday, January 4

Friday, January 5

Spent morning at
my desk. W. cheques
for Zimmer to pay for
my chair and buffers
and Matilda took them
back wheeling the chair
along the pavement so
as curiously they
told her that they
could not send for
it. Ida Carrick
came to lunch unexpect-
edly. I had forgotten
and Matilda took
nearly an hour getting
a scratch luncheon for
us. Slept as usual
in afternoon

Sunday, January 7

1st Sunday after Epiphany

Breakfast in bed as
usual of orange and
tea. Then bath and
sat in arm-chair
reading Sunday papers
and Observer. Alinda
and Thomas sat in
their respective chairs
and did the same. I had
my hot milk and whiskey
and Bobby and Peter
came to lunch. I dozed
in chair and then went
to bed. The Urquharts
had all gone to Amberley
I had tea and Mabel
Muirhead telephoned. I
think she is stopping.
Sleep as usual in chair

Monday, January 8

Up 7.45 Breakfast in
bed and then up as far
as dressing gown and
slippers. Stephen barber
came from Capital and
Bamford in Dover Street
and cut my hair and
nails. Scrambled egg
with chopped ham
for lunch with beans
and my usual Stilton
cheese. Dozed in chair
and then slept in bed
Tea 5.45
up and then drinks. after a
Read the
Evening Standard. Snow
had all gone by this
morning. Dinner and
slept in chair

Tuesday, January 9

Bright morning. Breakfast in bed. Dressed slowly and did not get to my desk till 10:30. Long letter from Emil who has been having a bad time with a broken hip like ours. Fiddled with papers but did not really get anything done. Sandwich luncheon on a tray and went soon to bed for my rest so that now I am up and ready for tea at 4:30 and shall have a good long evening. Moira telephoned just to wish me well. I slept in chair before and after dinner and as usual had nothing to show for it

Wednesday, January 10

A pleasant day but
I did not go out all
the morning, but sat
at my desk looking
unsuccessfully for a
letter that I ought to
answer. Finally at
12.45 found letter from
Alix on Xmas card. It
gives her address in Algiers
and I intend to send her
an American cheque.
Matilda found my Boston
cheque book for me.
Rested. Ups and tea 5.0°C
Mabel called 6-7 gave her
sherry. After dinner
posted several issues of
New Statesman to Rev. Stuart
Fell asleep in chair

Friday Jan 12

~~Thursday, January 11~~

Alfreda and Thomas
up late and not breakfast
until after 10 oc. Her
birthday was yesterday
or today so I took her in
taxi to Cameo Corner
and Mr Oved showed
us beautiful long gold
chain that I bought
bought for eighty pounds
She and Thomas went
back to Amberley after
lunch and I rested the
the afternoon. ~~[illegible]~~
Moura telephoned to
Matilda and asked to come
to dinner on Monday
A Louises birthday being
probably 11th or 12th
I will try to find
out her birthday
tomorrow for January 11
Rested before & after dinner

Thursday 11
~~Friday~~, January ~~12~~

Alfreda and Thomas
were here on Thursday
I think they were out
to dinner but probably
is to lunch. They
came in towards
morning after I had
gone to bed. I think that
Thomas was at home
in the morning.
I think it was a damp
misty day. I tried to
find letters without
much success.
I think Alfreda sat
with me around about
the time and we
kept company rather
aimlessly. Then she
went out until late

Saturday, January 13

Alfreda and I went
out in taxi to Cameo
Corner and I bought
her from my old friend
Miss Cook a lady
gold link chain to go
twice round her neck
for £80.0.0 Home to
lunch with Thomas
and then they drove
back to Amberley after
I had gone to rest. I
woke and got up
soon after 5 o'C.
and Matilda brought
me my Benedictine
Then I had another
nap before dinner and
again after. To bed about 10

Sunday, January 14

2nd Sunday after Epiphany

Thomas slept late and left for Amberley at about 11. Gave him £2.0.0. W: Hutchinson about Ganymede. Lovely day but I did not go out because of the effort when I have had them strong. Read Observer. Peter came to enquire Rufus. Frieda telephoned and will come to see me after having lunch with Lady J.. down stairs. C's Schaffer friend W. Maglin-fox. Encounter Watched after dinner

Monday, January 15

Got to my desk at
11 o'c and Sir. Peter
offering of him tickets
to Johns Harvard
Club occasions
W. Mr Maddox re
Chancelor lenny mortgage
Sandwich luncheon
in sitting room.
Freda came to see me
after lunch. She is off
to Africa next week.
Rested 3.30 – 5.30.
Read E. Slanders Rest
Morris came to dinner
and we got whiskey
perfect. Talked gut
evening. Then I had a
nap. Bed 1 o'c

Tuesday, January 16

Up 9.30 after breakfast in bed. Spent morning a hunting through the papers on my desk for letters that I could not find. Mild grey day. Tel. Mrs Brown [illegible] with apology for not coming to see Salins translations people. I need to write up on Saturday but can't remember what I did (I think I probably spent the day at home not doing anything particular. I forget those days what tho

Wednesday, January 17

Now I am trying to write this up for Saturday

Thursday, January 18

Friday, January 19

This has been a fine
day as I could see from
my window but I did
not go out. Received
a letter today from
Mrs Lamb all inscribed with
an invitation to
cocktail party on Monday
for her daughter in law
from Texas. I telephoned
to ask if I could bring
Alfreda did Gilean
answered that they would
be delighted. Spent
morning looking
through cards I can't
remember what for.
Asked Red Cross supply
to send them

Saturday, January 20

Alfreda went out early
to attend to business
I read Daily Mail in
bed until breakfast.
Ruth and Annie had
sat in sitting room
but not up to much
consciousness. Tried
to look at Times but
could read only head-
ings. Ida Currick
and Alfreda came
to lunch. Ida left
about 3 and I went
to rest. Up to tea
with Alfreda at 5.30
and she went to cook
her turkey with Jim
Carrick. I had my
whiskey at 7 o'c.

Sunday, January 21

3rd Sunday after Epiphany

Felt dreadfully low
Crying quake in the
early morning and
only with difficulty
got dressed. Slept in
chair most of morning
and Alfreda who was
out late as usual last
night. slept - too.
Bobbie came at 12:30
and Peter at 12:45
and we had sherry
and lunch for four
with port after
talked till 3:30 when
Peter left and Alfreda
and I went to bed. She
had a headache but felt
better and took Bobbie to film
her [illegible] out to dinner

Monday, January 22

Mosey writing up today tomorrow too Friday

Tuesday, January 23

Wednesday, January 24

Alfreda came in from
Annie's at about one o'c
and emerged about 9 o'c
this morning. I felt still
very weak. Breakfast
in bed then bath and sat
by fire. Alfreda up
late and out shopping
etc. not in for lunch
[illegible] a warm
Fell asleep in chair and
up and washed my face
at 12.45. Alfreda off to
lunch and shopping before
Rules in afternoon.
Alfreda's not in today
but in tomorrow
wrote on Emily

Thursday, January 25

This morning Mr Harold of [illegible] Troughtons and [illegible] came early to [illegible] lights in my Radello painting which he has lit successfully first from top and then from bottom. Hepatha went out early. I slept in chair and had luncheon on a tray and then slept again in chair until the night then I did not [illegible] to be up [illegible] finally. A letter from Ros-emary [illegible] thanking me for Xmas card. We had tea together. Mr Fay called at 12:45 and I paid him $136 63 el room/carpet etc.

Saturday, January 27

Alfrida went to
Amberley. Ann & Kathleen
drove her down, and
Bobbie is going down
by train this afternoon
. It seems a pleasant
mild day. Thomas
says he is too busy
but Alfrida thinks
he has some other
engagement. I have
not succeeded in
getting any one for
lunch tomorrow as
Matilda would like.
Rested and up about 5
Sat by fire and read
Standard. Fell asleep
before & after dinner

Sunday, January 28

4th Sunday after Epiphany

Lovely day could see it was going to be sunshine. Breakfast in bed. Bath, dressed and sat in sitting room expecting Dr Roffman who came about 11. He told me to walk about flat more. Made a great effort and got out to the benches in the garden. Could not do much more than sit. Back to lunch on tray in sitting room. Slept in chair and then could not sleep when I went to rest. Drink.

Monday, January 29

Up 9.30 breakfast
in bed not feeling
any better. Rain helps
Found 3 from Berry one
after the other auto drew
3 cheques. Call from
Mr Harald of Troughton
and young albert [illegible]
picture of Rialto
which I want him to
light to the point of
illumination. Left alone
alone. Rested unsatis-
factorily. A check came
in from Amelia and
had tea but went out
to dinner and as soon
as came to coffee
[illegible] uneasy
[illegible] [illegible] might
D-[illegible] bath tap

Tuesday, January 30

Bad weakened
night - up late
w. the Bucket about
my meals that I
frowned. Alfreda has
the undertakers to
have [illegible] to
St Pauls. We sat
by the fire Alfreda
engaged on some sort
of church work and
reading Times and
half asleep. I went
out about 12.
ate lunch in my chair
Rested and felt better.
At 5 o'c had tea with
Alfreda. I'm grateful on behalf
of Creation &- for mercy
to me.

Wednesday, January 31

Awake a good deal
in night with itch-
ing arm and leg. Up
and put on spray and
again Ellen did Em-
brocation. Breakfast in
bed. Then bath and
got dressed and sat
in arm chair by fire
Alfreda was late last
night and got to sleep
soon about 10.30.
Day of snow and slush.
She went out about 12. Ed
Home to tea.
for dinner. She [illegible] I talk-
alone and
after. Alfreda home.
Ellen's Birthday.

Thursday, February 1

Awake a deal in night. Sprayed throat. Dr Rehm came lately. Alfreda out early fo the day. I sat by fire dozing and woke late about 12. Alfreda came back unexpectedly about Starlee's. She says it is quite a nice day but cold. Alfreda and I had luncheon and then she went out again and I went to rest. Felt well in bed but not when I got up. We had tea and then she went out again. [illegible] I slept before and after dinner. Alfreda here for dinner.

Friday, February 2

I spent the [illegible] this morning at my desk hunting for letters and addresses that I could not find. Alfreda and I spent some time just sitting by the fire. After sandwiches luncheon alone I dozed in my chair with the result that I did not sleep completely in my chair. Up for the walk Alfreda and I. At 6 o'c we [illegible] cocktail Ladys Hunting the [illegible] with [illegible] [illegible]

Saturday, February 3

up 7.45 No bath
as skin doctor says
only three times a week
which I take as Sunday
Tuesday & Thursday
Sat in chair while
Alfreda read Times
and went to sleep.
Alfreda lunch with
Plucker. I had
sandwich on tray
Rested and up at 5 for tea
Alfreda and Booker
were having tea and they
soon went off to a film
and some sort of dinner
Went through Christ-
mas cards and could
not remember who sent
most of them

Sunday, February 4

5th Sunday after Epiphany

A pleasant day
and I ought to have
gone out, but I don't
feel equal to any
effort. I sat by the
fire with Alfreda and
then she went out and
I fell asleep till lunch.
Peter came
as usual and we
talked about his
thesis on which he
is deeply engaged.
I had lunch on a
tray and then fell
asleep as usual.
Alfreda was in for late
tea, and then

Monday, February 5

up early and was
dressing of when Alfred
came to say good
morning & after his
breakfast. I sat
with her for a bit in
sitting room and then
she went us and I
came to my desk
Gladys Robertson
came to lunch
Alfred went out
I had my usual
nap and Alfred
came in to tea
I had a nap before
dinner and again
after and went to bed
half asleep.

Tuesday, February 6

Accession of H.M. Queen Elizabeth II (1952)

Wednesday, February 7

Thursday, February 8

Friday, February 9

Alfreda and I
went to a cock-
tail party with
Lady Hardwicke

Saturday, February 10

Sunday, February 11

6th Sunday after Epiphany

A Greta and Debbie
went to the Shoreditch
flower market and
brought me back a
plant in a pot. They
came to lunch
and Peter and Thomas
I slept in the afternoon
as usual

Monday, February 12

Tuesday, February 13

I suppose I have
been more or less very
well for some time
and my diary has
not got written up
nor has anything.
Now I am sitting at
my desk trying in
vain to catch up.
It was a lovely and
day and pleasant
I went out in the
garden but I felt
so feeble to walk
and one only went
once round the garden

Wednesday, February 14

St. Valentine's Day Alfreda went out but found it cold and came back and did not advise me to go out again till lunch. I sat at my desk all the morning. Alfreda and I had a glass of sherry at 12.30 and then she went out to lunch. I tied up Xmas cards to send them somewhere. I tried to get my finances clear but things are still obscure. Alfreda in to tea but out to dinner. Bed early

Thursday, February 15

Up 7.40. Dressing and all takes a long time and I was not sitting in my chair by the fire with Alfreda opposite till 11 o'c.

Friday, February 16

Got up at eleven in order to deal with my correspondence and Mrs Bruce Lockhart called up and came here. Mr & I sat waiting for him for half an hour and then he arrived and we had a delightful time but it broke up the morning. Alfreda out to lunch. I rested as usual in the afternoon. Up about five and read the papers. Alfreda went to surgeon and had lump cut off her lip

Alfreda not feeling well with a fever and staying in bed all morning. I spent morning of writing to Stoltzfus about income tax. Lunch in sunny dining room with Lady Eady etc. Slept in the afternoon till 5 and then sat by the fire and read 1st volume of Stendhal: then each at desk before and after dinner. Alfreda sat with me but went out to dinner as she does generally

Sunday, February 18

Septuagesima

Sat at my desk
all the morning
and had a letter
to someone and
several paid bills
to show for it.
Alfreda not well
and altogether in bed
I rested as usual
in the afternoon, and
so deeply that I
thought it was morning
when I woke up. I
ate dinner on a tray
by fire and then
fell asleep again
and went to bed at
ten o'clock

Monday, February 19

Birthday of H.R.H. Prince Andrew (1960)

Up 8 o'C and had breakfast in bed as usual then bath and dressed. Sat at my desk all the morning and nearly to Brooks which had written [illegible] chapters of letters from [illegible] up and ought [illegible] explaining feelings of papers. Sent £200 to Lloyds Bank branch to change into pounds and gave me plenty of money for Alfred's [illegible] had Ann [illegible]. She went out in the evening but came back for dinner and bed

Tuesday, February 20

Got to my chair
by the fireplace
about eleven and
read the papers
There seem to be
a great many
murders. Alfreda is
ill but she got
up for lunch rests
and in dining room
Then I went to bed
and she called someone
and we had tea and
dinner together and
she went to bed
about 10.30 and
I did the same.

Wednesday, February 21

Thursday, February 22

Gray mild day
Alfreda better
and up. Sat at
my desk. W.
Harvard Club of N.Y.
supplying signature
as to fact

Friday, February 23

Saturday, February 24

Up late Alfreda
to Amberley for the
day to get Brian's
clothes as he is
returning from the
Congo next week.
Sat at desk and
then went to my
chair in sitting room
and fell asleep. Back
to my desk 12.30
Sent papers to Mrs
Stewart in New Zealand
6.15 P.M Alfreda & Betty
off to separate shows
the I. L. H returning
Hadley sitting

Sunday, February 25

Sexagesima

Pleasant day
Alfreda and Barney
staying here. I
ventured out into the
garden with Bobby
and we made the
circuit. Met a who
fellow resident
accosted me. I can't
remember her name but
she was a sort of
friend of Candy's. Nap
after lunch and bath
at 6 o'c. had tea
with Alfreda + Bobby -
not here for dinner
I went to bed soon
after nine.

Monday, February 26

Ground white with snow. Dr Kipman came to see this morning just for a look at Ad. He couldn't help my weakness. He only said we were old. Then Gladys Roberts looked in on her way to lunch with Lady Hardwicke. She met Alfreda in the hall. Soon after Alfreda left for Paris to meet Brian who is supposed to arrive there from the Congo today. Had a nap in my chair after luncheon on a tray then I had my rest.

Tuesday, February 27

Very much bothered
by eczema itching back
arm and legs. Breakfast
in bed and up and had
my hot milk and whiskey
at my desk. Worked
on incoming or
papers and letters
but really didn't
accomplish anything
Sat by fire before
and after lunch
and fell asleep; then
went to bed for my
usual rest and but
slept again till
about nine P.M. and
had a good sleep until
morning when eczema began

Wednesday, February 28

Bad again a. m.
early morning up
and got to my desk
10 o'c. Ground
white with snow
Wrote to Alex
W. Dick Chandler

Thursday, March 1

St. David's Day

Up late. Lunch alone
on a tray in
sitting room.
Wogs hardy and
Agatha for dinner,
and I slept in my
chair. I believe
they had a
moustached. I a dear
Gunther as sent for
Lee but a desk
and that was a
dinner at Mrs
Fawcetts. I was
up and laborious
went to bed soon
after ten o'clock.

Friday, March 2

Dull mild day
Bri in out- early
Alfreda sitting by
the fire-place reading
Her gall pain is
very persistent and
disquieting. I think
the Urquharts were
with me now and
then but not for
meals. I slept as
usual in the afternoon
and then got up
for tea alone but
Alfreda joined me.
Then Urquharts joined
me and later left for
Am leaving in a hired car
Spending night I
believe with friends on way

Saturday, March 3

Up late. Telephone
from Ida who I had
a luncheon engagement
She said that Ches
old maid had gone to
her sisters funeral
in Devonshire and
had got tired and
was sent to hospital
where she died so that
Ida was left alone
but she had an engage-
ment for luncheon today
Had lunch upstairs
and sat in chair and so
resumed [illegible]
up at 2. Bed [illegible]
fell
a sleep in chair
afternoon & after dinner

8 P.M. asleep. [illegible]
R. called up.

Sunday, March 4

Quinquagesima

Up and sitting in chair by fire-place at 10.30. Read Observer and Saturday's got me Sunday Times. Notably good article by Brogan on the Oppenheimer [illegible] Am being free Sunday. Peter S. came to lunch. I rested in the afternoon, and then sat by the fire and read the Observer and had tea and later a drink. Worked how to draw money from Boston by way of

Aren't old Peter Burgess' letters [illegible]

[illegible] for Wednesday

Monday, March 5

Breakfast in bed. Skipped bath on orders of skin-specialist for eczema, bad in my legs. Up 10.30. Tel. Bank that says my account is £198.14.4 I have bills to pay and I was afraid I was overdrawn. Scrambled egg for lunch. Slept in [illegible] - where I had tea and read weekly papers. Maulder brought me whiskey & evening papers. Lovely wood fire at dinner time. I had my hair cut by the barber [illegible] I feel usual the morning go. [illegible] asleep in chair before and after dinner

Tuesday, March 6

Shrove Tuesday

Letter from Jimmie. He is very infirm but he gallantly receives visitors in the Old house. No one else in the family gave him any help or encouragement. I sat in the big room and read letters and the Times. Fell asleep. Telephone calls for Brian. Fell asleep after lunch and then after tea and Celtic came in his car and took me to Moira's birthday party. I have given £25 to Father [illegible] regarding [illegible] took both of [illegible] whiskey

Wednesday, March 7

Ash Wednesday

Awake in night
Felt ill with
eczema and in general
stayed in bed all
day. Slept before
and after lunch. Jen
in car. Lady Hancocks
called up. Read Evening
Standard. Felt
asleep in chair
Mr Parker of
Parker Palmer made
engagement as daily by
Matilda seems very
nice old fashioned
servant. She will
come every morning
and then all day
Wednesday when Nancy
is out.

Thursday, March 8

Breakfast in bed.
Up and sat at desk.
Read Daily Mail
Sat in chair. Called
up Ida. Out but
left a message asking
her to lunch on
Saturday.

Friday, March 9

Saturday, March 10

Breakfast in bed
Bath & dressed and
sat in sitting room
with Alfreda and
occasional conversation
Paid bills. Fell asleep
in chair after lunch
and woke up at 3.
so did not have
usual tea time nap
Tea with Alfreda
and the boys off and
on [illegible] fire to sit
I believe the Wagenhals
are all going to the
opera. They had
high tea. I had
dinner on a tray and
fell asleep in my chair
To bed 12. [illegible] the

ter [illegible] in [illegible] last [illegible]

[illegible]

Sunday, March 11

1st Sunday in Lent

I had breakfast in
bed about 5:30
sergeants got up lately
and Alfredo talked
in and I sat at my
desk. I attended to
a few things and
wrote a story in two
then sat by fire
in drawing room.
Brian went to Air
Port to meet [illegible]
and came back
for lunch with Alfredo
and the boys and Peter
I went to bed after
and slept and [illegible]
3. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
some letters and then went
out.

Walk in garden with Thomas 12.30

[illegible]

Monday, March 12

Alfreda went up with me to Sotheby's to see the marble Ganymede by Thorwaldsen; just the [illegible] the figure without the eagle. left a bid up to £200. Dr Pepman called earlier and gave me penicyline for eczema. Alfreda and Brian left for [illegible] and then left for [illegible] car for Antheals planning to speck up Davos. 28 nobody killed. Then dinner and sleep in chair. Bed 11

Breakfast in bed
Then bath and dressed
and sat in drawing
room, reading Times
Card but thoughtless.
Matilda has
actually seen two
prospective parlour
maids and engaged
one. I fell asleep in
chair and then had
lunch on a tray.
Poor Dr [illegible] My
Moore came but [illegible]
out [illegible] Matilda
engaged one from [illegible]
Rubbers. [illegible] 70°

Wednesday, March 14

Breakfast in bed.
Up about 11 and
sat at desk. Then
had my milk and
whiskey in drawing
room. Lovely sunny
day but cold.
Made a great
effort and finally
went out for a
walk in front-door
and round Ennismore
Gardens and Ennismore
Place and back from
Kingston House Gardens.
Lunch. Rested. Read 5 [illegible]

Friday, March 16

Saturday, March 17

St. Patrick's Day

Sunday, March 18

2nd Sunday in Lent

Up 9 o'c. Dressed slowly and dozed in chair by electric fire. Tel. Mary Churchill Humphry and she will come to lunch on Tuesday. She is at the Hyde Park Hotel where Charles Robertson is having lunch with her to day. Walk round the garden sunny but cold. Rested 3-5. W.C.R.) Huddleston for Barymede

Monday, March 19

Tuesday, March 20

Up 9 o'c. Sat at my desk after breakfast in bed.. Nice [illegible] in bed. Mrs Parkin brought my whiskey and milk at 11:15. Matilda was at the hair-dresser. I had call from Horatio who was staying with Peter Chisholm Stewart. We had a pleasant talk and drink. The Mary Churchill Humphrey came to lunch. dear soul and we talked about old days in U.S.A. Rested. Dinner. Slept in chair

Wednesday, March 21

Seems to be a cold damp day and I have not been out - Stayed in bed till Dr [illegible] called as he said. He sympathized with me and [illegible] a and offered to act as [illegible] but could not do anything I rose up and sat in chair for whiskey and milk. Had K A bread. Looked at Times but cant really read - eyes not good enough. [illegible] [illegible] up from the feeling 7. 3 out to dinner [illegible] short night

Thursday March 22

Bad night again with
eczema & i Brenda and
Alfreda here. Seems
to be a mild gray
day but I have not
been out. Every one
pleased with St Pat-
walders Canymala that
I bought at Christie
last week. Sat. leg
fell Alfreda went out

Friday, March 23

Up early. Woke
7:15 and thought
it was 8.15 and
rang for Matilda
[illegible] coming [illegible] at 8.30
[illegible] breakfast
[illegible] bath before
[illegible] emerged
They had [illegible]
at 8.30 and left
for air-port [illegible]
[illegible] to New York
[illegible] and [illegible]
[illegible] and [illegible]
where [illegible]. Got to bed
[illegible] and [illegible]
[illegible]. Dozed [illegible]
and [illegible] [illegible]
and drinks. Bed early.

Cold bright day
Breakfast in bed
Sat by fire intend
in To go back
and work at desk
with countless papers
but as always fell
asleep. Up 12.30
and walked round
garden with difficulty
Cold but lovely
talk Betty and Dun.
Lunch on tray and
fell asleep. To bed 3 o'c
and slept till 6.
Up and Sherry with [illegible]
Lady Hardwick after tea
As she left Fredk [illegible]
came. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
is just back from Africa

Sunday, March 25

QUARTER DAY (*Lady Day*)
3rd Sunday in Lent

Up about 10.30
Skipped bath
in hope of reducing
my awful eczema
as the skin specialist
advised. Sat by fire
and read Sunday
papers. Bobby arrived
at 12.30. Then Mum
and finally Peter.
[illegible] Luncheon
Bobby hung about
after others left
but my [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] drink. Fell asleep
in chair and again after
went to bed. [illegible]
and looked at [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] family [illegible]

Monday, March 26

Eczema getting better
after a bad night.
Doctor Repunda came
over me and had
a pleasant talk. I
stayed in bed all
day. I could see
that it was a
lovely day out of
the ~~own~~ days. I
Slept till 6 P.M.
and then was
refreshed. Then drank
[illegible] dinner and
sat sleepily by fire.
To bed [illegible] [illegible] 8
after mine.

Tuesday, March 27

Boys left for
Amherst about 9.30
It has been pleasant
to have them here
I think Thomas has
character and
ability but Bobbie
has more charm
I got up around
about eleven and
sat in drawing room
Wells brought
there by 5. Slept after
lunch and woke at
six. Tea and drinks
and then slept in chair
Dinner on a tray
and then slept again
to bed around about 11

Wednesday, March 28

Woke up and gradually
started the infamous
routine: It seemed a
lovely day. Breakfast
in bed. Skipped
walk on doctors orders.
A certain amount of
worrying: Thinking of [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
for. My usual milk
and whiskey. Fell
asleep in chair after
lunch. Then rested as
usual. Up & dressed for
Tea and drinks. John
Mathias called [illegible]
call tomorrow
Nap in chair before
dinner and again
after. To bed half
asleep. Beaumont
called 12:30

Thursday, March 29

E[illegible] a bus service
but main trained.
Breakfast in bed
and read Daily Mail
up eleven and dressing
then doctor called
pleasant talk but
no change of treatment.
He will see [illegible] again
next Tuesday.
Finished dressing
and sat in chair
Back to desk and
started letter to J. [illegible]
Then lunch on tray
in chair. Call from man
named [illegible] who
says he was in the [illegible]
shop where I [illegible]
[illegible] from [illegible] [illegible]. [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Friday, March 30

Seems a dull rainy
day but as usual
I have not been out.
I spent the morning
at my desk and
think I found that
my finances are all
right. I sent Alfred
Arundel a Barlow
cheque for $2000.
I have to pay Allsop
out of that £300
lunch of macaroni
cheese on a tray in
drawing room. Fell
asleep in chair and
then to bed. Up 6 or
so. And read Standard
Asleep in Chair after
dinner

Awake Saturday, March 31 for a time
during night. bed
slept till 7.30.
Finished bath and
all that, and was
sitting in chair 10.30
Always mean to
attend to necessary
bills and business
and other letters
accumulating on
my desk but merely
had a nap in my
chair and a walk in
cold windy sunshine
in garden. Got in
just in time to [illegible]
Ida looking [illegible]
pale for very pleasant
lunch. Up to chair. 9.30
and slept in bed. up!
for whiskey, but 6.
then tea

Sunday, April 1

4th Sunday in Lent

Sat at my desk
all morning &
ansd. just one letter &
to Shore front

Monday, April 2

At my desk by 10
went [illegible] to get papers
home [illegible]
and there was sitting
by the fire place
[illegible] at my
desk before and
after lunch. It was
a first day of
rain and sunshine.
Alex went out to
meet friends and
came back for lately
[illegible] and when I
got up at 6 Alex
was still out
had tea and read
[illegible] and Alex
and had whiskey
when the game [illegible]
[illegible] that a [illegible]
[illegible] when Alex stayed to dinn

Tuesday, April 3

Up at 8 o'c. Spent morning at my desk and got rid of several papers but leaving a lot. Lady Robertson came to luncheon. She doesn't drink but I had a spot of whiskey before. She left soon after 3 o'c and I went to Flat. Was up till six. Then I put my feet up and read Evening Standard about run-away diplomats of 11 years ago

Wednesday, April 4

A tiny dark 1 3.30
Then walks in

Thursday, April 5

Friday, April 6

Usual breakfast in bed and all that. Sat at my desk as soon as I was dressed and sent Mrs Rosigel her overdue cheque for cold cream. Paid bills, to. Bank

Saturday, April 7

Passion Sunday

Monday, April 9

Tuesday, April 10

Wednesday, April 11

Called up Horatia
and Norman at the
Hotel where she
will stay as my
guest - She quite
took to the idea
I think - I walked in
the garden and sat
in the sun

Thursday, April 12

Dr Rifsman called at 10.15 and we had a pleasant talk. It looks a pleasant day. Moved to sitting room and drafting letter to Arnaud at my expense at the Normandie room at the Normandie to the Normandie And then [illegible] fell asleep. lunched and copied out my letter to Dazalee fell asleep. Up 5 and read Times and had tea and drinks. Morgan came to dinner and more drinks and when she left I bed

Friday, April 13

At my desk 1 to 3.30
lovely mild sunny day
I sorted papers
at my desk and
went out for a
walk in the garden
and sat in the sun
Came in and sat
in my chair. Went
to my room and
bath room and Hattie
said that Geoffrey
Whitworth had come
and we had a pleasant
lunch with [illegible] of
[illegible] Bankes and
others all from [illegible]
Rested and after tea
and drinks dinner and
slept in chair

Saturday, April 14

Spent the morning
at my paper cluttered
desk which I did not
succeed in reducing
Ida Carroll came to
luncheon and yet
talked about the
[illegible] Burke
She left before 3
and I soon went
to [illegible] up in time
for tea at 5:30
Read [illegible] and the
[illegible] and
had dinner on that time
tray. By
[illegible] lucky to do much
I sipped whiskey & water

Sunday, April 15

Palm Sunday

Pleasant day yet
cold and windy
sun in and out. I
made the effort to
walk round the
garden. Peter came to
lunch back from
the Hebrides where he
is by way of building
something for his
architectural degree.
I had a nap in my chair
and then slept after six
in bed. Tea at 6.30
while I was dressing. I
then sat at my —
chaotic desk. Sleeps
in my chair before
and after dinner

Monday, April 16

up 7.30 dull rainy
day. Worked at my
desk all the morning
into the sitting room
where I had a wood
fire. Luncheon on a
tray and as usual
fell asleep in my
chair. Woke up
3.30 and went to
rest in my bed.
Woke at six and
had tea as I dressed
then sat in sitting room
and John Malloy came
with flowers from Mary
[illegible] me. Settled
[illegible]
in my chair before the
after dinner. Bed 12

Tuesday, April 17

Again at my desk
at 10.15 following
my invaluable Conference
Day starting bright.
Westminster bank repair
balance £1,207.15
Spent morning at
my desk.
Lunch on a tray
and slept in
the afternoon
Hoathes who is
staying at the
Normandie came
to dinner - I slept
in my chair after ah
nights.

Wednesday, April 18

Worked at my desk in the morning. Paid telephone accounts from London. W Speidn about Amberley telephone bills and asked about mute for S.P.S.

Thursday, April 19

Friday, April 20

Good Friday

Pleasant day but
not sunny. Walt in
garden soon after
breakfast and gave
10/- to nice new young
gardener Colin Hill.
Sat in chair and drank
my milk. As usual
feebly. Woke 12.15
and washed and
sat at my desk.

Correct

Saturday, April 21

Birthday of H.M. Queen Elizabeth II (1926)

Out for walk in garden I talked to two young gardeners Colin Hell and I think gave him 10/-

Horatia came to lunch somewhat under [illegible] fevers Matilda who however greeted her cordially when the time came

After lunch Horatia and I went to National Gallery to see the famous Leonardo which is indeed supreme.

Home and light dinner on a tray

Sunday, April 22

Easter Day

Woke 7-30 but did not disturb Matilda till 8 o'c when I rang and she brought my hot water to drink. I found then my tea of an orange for my breakfast. Then I had my bath and dressed and got at my desk and Gendy Robertson came to see me and we talked together in the sitting room. Nap in my chair. Then lunch and after another nap slept in bed, and as I dressed Miss Simon came to see me. She left at 5 and I had Mrs. Reed

Yesterday's Times and two weeklies

Saturday April 21
~~Monday, April~~ 23

St. George's Day
Bank Holiday

Out early in taxi and got money at the Brompton Sq. Bank for my Easter tips Came home and sat in my chairs and of course fell asleep woke up at 12 o'c when the guns were saluting for the Queen's Birthday

Sunday Easter
Easter Woke late
Breakfast 12. Horatio
lunch + walk in garden
Lady Ralli accosted me
Dishes fell 6. Accounts
Pete did not turn up

Monday April
~~Tuesday, April 24~~
Lovely April 23 sunny
day. Tel. Horatia & John
is Shawn & her sister
Molly to lunch. Gave
packet of Lantis tips
to Shannon as Major [illegible]
and Stanton very [illegible]
out in garden and set in sun
Rested after lunch. Tel.
Ann [illegible] who has
sent me flowers [illegible] Robertson
8 P.M. [illegible] Judges
called up. She had met
Horatia who spoke of
my hospitality. 24 April
~~Tues. 24 April~~
Read letters in chair until
[illegible] wrote [illegible]
news. Walk in [illegible]
Horatia to lunch. Slept
Sat in Chair, & read papers

Wednesday, April 25

Sitting briefly at my
desk d at 9.45. Did
certain amount of work
then moved to arm chair
in sitting room where
I looked carefully at
my letters, glanced at
the Times. Drank milk
Tel. Ida for lunch
Saturday. Walk in
garden spoke to young
gardener Colin. Sat
Sat in chair in sun.
Back for lunch. Had
taken shower. Left into
bowels after [illegible]
and [illegible] [illegible]
stairs to get to grow
label. Read [illegible]
Times. [illegible]

Thursday, April 26

Pleasant warm but
gray morning. DE Upham
came at 10.30 whilst
I was dressing and
we talked of Mr
Bonham Carter.
Sat in my chair and
found DJ. Called up
upstairs
Agatha to say good
bye. She had been
with Lady
Rothschild. Walk
round garden in sun.
I sat in
chair and fell asleep
before and after lunch.
up 6 o'c tea and
dinner. Bed. Stumbled
always sleepy.

Friday, April 27

Woke 7 and up
7.15 spent morning
writing to Alfreda
and then went to
Post office in Brompton
road to post letter
letters and nearly
collapsed on the way
took a taxi back
but was terribly
tired. Sat in chair
and fell asleep and
woke for lunch on
a tray and then fell
asleep again in chair.
Woke at 4 and went
to bed and slept again
till 6. Tea was
standard - down to dinner
and another nap + bed 12

Saturday, April 28

Up in Det Shave 8
and breakfast back
and sat at my desk
10.15

Sunday, April 29

1st Sunday after Easter

Monday, April 30

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Tuesday, May 1

I sat in the garden
and walk round
the paths as a matter
of duty and it has
been bright + sunny
Rested when I came
in and again after
lunch. Tea and
drinks 6-7 and
early to bed

Wednesday, May 2

Woke 7.30 after
I had been asleep
from 6.30. I seem to
have 2 or 3 hours
of wakefulness during
the night. Matilda's
day out and Mr
Edmunds looked
after me. Walking
harder before lunch
Shopping / it aided
my lameness
from grade. Letter from S.A.R.H. telling
of robbery of Berrie
heirloom. Aunt Kate
was bringing me.
Talk telephone to
Gladis R. and Maria came to me on way to school

John o Barker's [illegible] 30

They say I had a fall & helped by two porters

Thursday, May 3

Worked at my desk
till eleven and then
sat in sitting room
by the fire and read
newspapers. No all this
is yesterday. TODAY
I apparently had
a fainting turn
and was not conscious
till 5 o'clock when
Mathilda looked in
got up and dressed
with fearful difficulty
got into the sitting
room and had a
glass of whisky and
milk. T. Moore came to
dinner and had it on
a tray with me. She left
at 10.45

Friday, May 4

Tried to do a little clearing of my wildly congested desk. Gladys Robertson came to lunch. Slept in the afternoon. Then tea and drinks 5-7.30. W. J. P. Ramsay of Grain Trade acknowledging statements and thanking him for his attention to my interests. Rested in chair before and after dinner. Dined in sitting room. Slept all evening. Bed 12

Saturday, May 5

Royal Academy Opens

Woke 7:05 and then
slept again
up 9:30 after break-
fast as usual in bed.
Felt very tired dress-
ed went into sitting
room for my last
milk. Quit taking
as Dr Repman thinks
it may cause eczema
Kept awake early
morning with awful
itching. Slept in
chair. Lovely day
but too tired to go out
Luncheon in chair
Skimmed Times Lit Sup
Nap before & after dinner

Sunday, May 6

2nd Sunday after Easter

Awake less in
night: eczema better
perhaps because I
have cut off alcohol
yesterday and today
Sorted papers a bit
on my desk and
then I read Observer
in chair. Pelig
came pleasantly to
lunch, and left
about 3 and I went
to visit Upland etc;
about six, Then back
at my desk. Did not
accomplish anything
Never do. Tired & ill.

Monday, May 7

Seems to be a
pleasant, if windy day
up 8.30 Breakfast
in bed, bath and
sat at my desk
clearing it a bit.
Then I sat in sitting
room and looked at
the recent papers and
threw away a lot of
old ones. Lunch on a
tray in sitting room
Rested and up 5 o'c
Dressed slowly and
worked a little at my
desk. Tea in sitting room
7 o'c. No alcohol all
day to see if this is causing
my eczema. Dinner 8 o'c
and news article on Titanic and
so rather [illegible] she

Tuesday, May 8

Cool & pleasant
day but [too rheumy to
go out — Rheum on change]
suppose it is now
exhausting from my
trip to my back, the
Sit-at-desk and the
in setting up [illegible] Times
and D.H.X. pieces. a tray
Simple lunch on a tray
and read all the
afternoon. Up 5 P.M.
and had tea. Then
to Randy's for dinner.
[illegible] [illegible] dents
flowers for Kay and
cemetery. Went to see
[illegible] chair
[illegible] [illegible] Rest
Times

Wednesday, May 9

Up 7.30 Sat at
my desk after breakfast
in bed. Long talk
and accident in bath
room. Moved into sitting
room 10-30. Tel.
Roger to Ldn., Seems
a lovely day. Not
in shape. Made
appointment with Dr.
Sapin: Luncheon on
a tray. Rested all
afternoon. Up 5.30
Tea. Moura telephoned
is going to Zurich to
morrow for a fort
night. Evening Standard
has full page story of
the murder of Stanford White
Hope to be able to read it when
getting new glasses

Dr Rapinson called
when I was in my
bath. I splashed out
as soon as I could and
we had a talk in my
bedroom. He approves
of my no alcohol test
for eczema but ad-
vised me to abstain
for a fortnight to
make it conclusive.
Spent an hour at my
desk with letters or
no result. Matilda
out as she did not go to
her regatta. We discussed
Riddell affair again
accepted but - She said.

Friday, May 11

I am writing
late in the evening
and I cannot
remember what I
did in the morning.
Certainly I sat at
my desk. I think
I forwarded to
Wanda a letter
that had come for
her and I wrote
briefly to her and
told her how
much every one
liked my [illegible]
I wrote post card
to Mom in 5 weeks-
end

After dinner [illegible] in [illegible]

[illegible] and read Genesis

Saturday, May 12

Eczema certainly le
perhaps due to having
no alcohol. Dr
Pepman says keep
up abstaining for a
fortnight to 1 June &
a urine test. Cold
sunny day. Spent
sometime in sitting
room reading papers
then out walking
with difficulty and
walked a bit and
sat in sun & wind
Lunch on a tray.
Ida could not come
because of high blood
pressure causing bad
headaches. Rates
Paid bills after dinner

Sunday, May 13

3rd Sunday after Easter

Sat up late last night at my desk and had a spill of envelopes to share for it - wrote cheques to pay bills. Matilda called me still fast asleep at 10.30 A.M. Dressing and all that took an hour and I was still in my room when Peter came to lunch. Pleasant time together and I gave him £25. Read Observer. Rested. Dinner of chicken salad in Rooms. Read T.E.S.

Monday, May 14

Restless early
morning. Worked at
my desk and then
sat sleepily by
the fire before and
after lunch. Then
upstairs & slept. Up
about 5.30. Had
tea in sitting room
Then spent a long
time on Evening
Standard without
finding any thing
~~anything~~ of interest.
Dinner on a tray
and then dozed in my
chair as usual

Tuesday, May 15

Up 7.45. Roger L-
ate 10.30. Went Kelly -
6 o. Went out for
walk in the gardens
before lunch and
sat in sun. Matilda
gave me macaroni
cheese. Rested after
lunch and up soon
after five to be ready
for Roger Rickbeck
who came as arranged
about 6.20. Nice
but a phoney talk
about Pell Ramsay
3 pieces. Did not
mention John! Gave him
his whiskey but
apple juice — Real
standard

I slept late. Dr. Roper
called at 9.45 when I
was on my way to
my bath and I turned
back to see him. He is
off with his family for
holiday in Lisbon. Back
Saturday [illegible] that
Hot milk & weather at
whiskey 11 o'C. Sat
in arm chair by fire
until day
Even on it my chair
[illegible] and [illegible] [illegible]. Sat
Read [illegible] [illegible]
by fire and read
Evening papers

W. Thunderclouds Thunder

Thursday, May 17

Mr Lowe from Till
came when I was
dressing about 10.30
We worked together
until 12.30 and
got my income tax
settled up to date,
and my financial
affairs done well.
Gave him sherry
but I am off alcohol
till dinner. Rested
up for tea
W Rita Smith
Dinner. W.
Westminster Ch. II

Friday, May 18

Usual routine!

Breakfast in bed. Then bath and dressed; all rather late so it was about 12 when I got to my friends easy chair. Then ~~soon~~ made the considerably effort of going into the garden. Cold and not much sun but pleasant. Got in wheel chair and walk along path. Colin Hill came along and guided me. Then [illegible] to [illegible] [illegible] Mr [illegible] English class without Mr Hollister. Rested, read papers after tea. Hymnal evening.

Saturday, May 19

Pleasant day. Out for a turn in the garden before lunch and a brief rest in chair after. Just walking steps but enough to keep one awake when I lay down. Up for tea and read papers Times and Standard. I think Ida Carrick came to lunch. Dinner on a tray in sitting room and then of course brief naps in chair. Went on with papers after

Sunday, May 20

Cold and grey

4th Sunday after Easter

Sat in easy chair
and read Observer
Gladys Rabaiotti
arrived for lunch
then Bobby and finally
Peter who was fired
came into the dining
room. He and Gladys
talked politics and
did not go before
they left at about
three after Bobbie
stayed on and did
some typing on the
typewriter I gave him
for Christmas. Peter got
it at Harrods. I went
to bed and Bobby had
gone when I got up

W. [illegible] Budge & England

Monday, May 21

Sat at my desk
and paid bills. W.
brief nap. W Ida
W. Affaire Ida enclosing
[illegible] that has
come for Brian. It
started a bright
sunny day but grew
grey and then raining.
Luncheon on a tray
in sitting room.
rested in the afternoon.
Read evening papers
and fell asleep in
my chair
dinner on a tray
and rested and to Bed
slept again
about midnight

Tuesday, May 22

Posted Leonardo's
appeals to Mrs Lemay
John Maltman's and
Gladys Robertson all
anonymously. Sat by
fire (electric) after
breakfast and bath.
Probably had a little
nap. Then realised I
had barely time to get
to my 12:30 appoint-
ment with Dr Savoir
He tested my eyes and
said I was [illegible] of cataract
but he did not advise operat-
ion at present. Home late
for lunch. Rested. Tea 5 o'c.
Letter fr. Marcus Schlesinger's
Comedy over. 28"-

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STAFF CHRISTMAS FUND

7th Nov 1962.

Received from C. Huntington, Esq

the sum of £ Five

shillings Five

and pence —

£ 5 : 5 : .

With thanks.

Secretary.

Wednesday, May 23

Up about 7.30
Went through my
morning routines
and toilet. Daily
Mail into sitting
room at about
10.30. Sat a while
and then went for
a walk with a good
deal of difficulty in
garden also sat-
on one of the seats
rough [illegible] Shave
- he came in and
rested in chair until
luncheon. Rested
up 5 o'c. and sat
in Chair. Tea 6. Drank
7 Read Standard
Dinner 8 Bed 9.30

Thursday, May 24

Commonwealth Day

Misty morning. Iris
growing fine. Pain
times in bed and at
desk. P.C. from [illegible]
in Paris; no in Zurich.
12.30 appointment with
Mr Saw dentist. Then
V Giles, optimistic
at 1 to lunch. Home. Rests
after early tea. And
again after dinner.
And to bed early
Soon after [illegible]
and pain gradually
[illegible] night.
Iris awake a bit
and then sleep late
pain

Up before eight
and worked out
on making my yearly
returns with many
bills. Sat at my
desk and in
afternoon Rakeeloos
called up and to
keep one clean [illegible]
I had a bill in
the sitting room
for us and the
Rosemary Barby
telephoned and
will come for us
Saturday afternoon
for the Buffalo
[illegible] the night.
Post card from
Munich [illegible] some to
coffee

Saturday, May 26

Sunday, May 27

Rogation Sunday

Monday, May 28

Tuesday, May 29

Tel. to Petit
about Ashley
Manor sale of
Furniture. He's
going to Bar to bid
for his Story
Armada plaques
at the bar show on
Three days, + asked
him to get anything
at sale that he
thinks I would like
I think it was a
good day but I did
not go out.

Wednesday, May 30

I seem to have
missed five days
but today as
able to do a little
writing up - England
it has been a lovely
day if cold - I sat
on bench and walked
round garden this
morning. Tel. from
Maison Schlumberger
who will come here
tomorrow. Call this
afternoon from Ila Chase
for match.
After dinner C. Lindy
called up.

Thursday, May 31

Woke and up early

Ascension Day

and at my desk at 8.30

Friday, June 1

Riley came to see me about 7 o'c to tell me about the Ashley Manor Sale. Frantmella had already sold most of his Story family bas-reliefs but he got some and bought one for me, as I told him to if he saw anything I would like. It's round one and I must make a place for it here or at Amberley.

Saturday June 2

Mild pleasant day
Sat at my desk and
in my chair by the
fire and went for
a little walk in the
garden but feeling very
jittery I don't know
why. Rested this
afternoon. Then up for
tea. Bobby arrived
and saw Matilda
and then did things in
his room with door
shut. Rec'd E. Standard

Sunday, June 3

Sunday after Ascension

As usual took a long time with my bath and dressing. Got to my armchair about 11.45 Saffie up Maureen and had a little talk. She got home all night that he got and has been with Ken a little walk. So has Bobbie. I read Observer. Peter and Gaabie for lunch. Peter stayed till 3.30. Told me about things he had got at Ashley and I gave him £25. She bought a [illegible] for me. Peter spilled out good of [illegible] Bobbie 6.45

Monday, June 4

Dr Reffman called about
10.15 Told me of his
holiday in Portugal. He
came back on Saturday.
Finished dressing
when he left and
sat in easy chair and
had my hot milk whiskey
Walked a little
round garden and sat
in garden chair. Nearly
asleep. Sent cheque for
[illegible] [illegible] before
Light-through in [illegible]
room. Fan [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] papers
[illegible]
Dinner and slept after
woke 10 o'c. to bed 11

Tuesday, June 5

Woke 7.30. up 7.45
Shaved and all that
and came down for breakfast 8.30
Nothing of particular in the
post. Sat for a bit
at my desk after breakfast
and dressing. Then sat
in chair by fire. Daily
Mail and Times. Out
and walked round
garden and sat in garden.
Chair. Slept. Quick [illegible]
Lunch on nothing long
Lazy in getting down
struggled with the Parkin
Lunch early and long
time getting to sleep
Tea 15.15 and [illegible]
at 7. Read papers.
Could not find my pen. Bed
12

Wednesday, June 6

Mrs Parkin found my pen and I copied yesterday notes on slip of paper into diary

Thursday, June 7

Friday, June 8

Beautiful summer
day. Sorted papers
at my desk and
then sat in garden.
James then Louis and
not able to walk round.
Calm still mourning
years spoke to
that my eye all so bad
I could not recognize
him. Could not eat
much chicken for lunch
but ate cheese & apples 15
Kept in chair till 5
Then rested till
Then wrote to [illegible]
wr $100 for traveling
expenses. Ralph help 9
Chris paper & apple
chicken. 10.30

Saturday, June 9

Read paper in bed
after breakfast and
not dressed until 10.30
Sat and dusk and
then read paper in
sitting room and of
course fell asleep.
Made an effort and
roused myself and
sat in garden chair
and walked round
garden. Back at
one o'clock and had
lunch but - could not
eat much. No letters
today and no news of
Peter [illegible] for Piles. Rested
in afternoon. Tea at 5.
[illegible] wood fire and
asked Matilda not to take so
cakes

Sunday, June 10

Whit Sunday

Another warm pleasant day but no sun. Read Observer in bed. Dressed and did a lot of accounts. Porter came and borrowed my crutches for Lady Reigate and the Sir William brought them back because the surgeon wanted her to use only a stick. Marion Watkins came to lunch and stayed for a nap in afternoon which I used left for tea and drank

Monday, June 11

Bank Holiday

Up late and sat at my desk. Bad rainy day and very disappointing for holiday makers. Then sat in sitting room and by afternoon fell asleep. Think I cannot pull myself awake by reading even on today and then slept again in dinner. Woke up about 3 and went to bed and slept till six. Then did certain amount of reading after dinner [illegible] his [illegible]

Early to bed.

Tuesday, June 12

Pleasant mild day
but no sunshine.
Up and worked at
desk and then sat in 12
in chair by Pickett
About 12.30 out
and got in garden
and then made the
rounds stopping on
the way to talk to
Cabin & tell my friend
the young gardener
in the [illegible] after
and rested in
chair and then in bed.
Up and read papers
through Editorials
and then [illegible] and after
dinner [illegible] all evening

Wednesday, June 13

To sitting room about 10.30 and read letter from J. L. St telling me in detail what you expect Mr Warren ad-vised for preserving family property. Sat on [illegible] letter from Mr Hollister about American Income Tax. Drank my hot milk 10.45 W.S. Mr Hollister with cheques for Internal Revenue. Lunch of cheese & grapes. Rested afternoon. Tea & and [illegible] Marion Whiting dressed and then [illegible] for dinner that I think was a success.

Thursday, June 14

Another warm sunny morning. Letter from Ralph Steckstek thanking for Pelicans. P.S. mate of Davis H-30. Sat at desk. Paid Berry Bros for liquor. Paid Mrs Perry for service to flat. Out and about and walked round with difficulty in garden. kitchen and sat in chair too long so did not sleep. Alfreda & Kate arrived by air 12 o'c

Friday, June 15

Kathi and Alfreda arrived at midnight and Kathi went away to bed. Alfreda had whiskey and talked till 1 o'c. She came to see me at 9.30 when I was having breakfast in bed and then both of them [illegible] and her [illegible] at Amberley. 1 [illegible] Nelson writing. Sat at my desk till 12.25. Then walked round garden and talked to Colin [illegible]. My new [illegible] Cheese cream grapes. Rested [illegible] sat at my desk for hour writing nothing [illegible] for it.

I dressed up. 3 a.m. in [illegible]

Saturday, June 16

Telephone from Markoe who came to lunch Sunday; Matilda tells me that Maura asked for help in getting a [illegible]; Emotionally Magdalen was not helpful as [illegible] habits. W. Phelps Stocksecker. Sent $50 to S.P.S. Alumni Fund

Sunday, June 17

Trinity Sunday

Lovely warm sunny
day. Woke at
8 a.m. Sunday Express at
breakfast in bed.
Peter telephoned to
say that he has
worked all night on
his thesis plans and
is going on all day
and cannot come to
lunch. Sat in garden
and walked round
it - Marion came to
lunch and I kept her
till 3.30 and to read-
Was no longer sleepy [illegible]
[illegible] wanted
[illegible] to
know where to send a
boy to get a coat [illegible]
had the [illegible] on [illegible]
[illegible] across. Sent [illegible]
[illegible] lunch whisky

Monday, June 18

Dr Repman back from
Portugal called when
I was getting out of
my bath and we talked
while I rubbed dry.
After he went I put
in arm chair. Telephoned
Marion but she was out
Had my hot milk and
[illegible] Read Daily
Mail. Then of course
fell asleep in chair.
Lunch of Cheese [illegible]
and grapes according
to [illegible] plan; then
out and sat in garden
and walked round it
warm day but no
sun and cool wind
Rested. up and tea
and drinks 6-7

Tuesday, June 19

Alfreda called up
as I hoped she would
soon after I got into
the sitting room but
Mrs Matilda had done
her shopping and
asked if she and Katie
could come up for
the night. I said at
once but Matilda was
not equally enthusiastic
and if yes I could but the
Edmund & her. So I
called up Alfreda who
will drive up and
told her to buy a
chicken to roast [illegible]
for [illegible]
Matilda says she
plenty for dinners!
too. P

Wednesday, June 20

Rainy day. Alfreda came to see me when I was having breakfast in bed and then she had hers in the dining room. Later we both sat in drawing room. She and Kate went out to lunch and I had Marion Whiting to lunch with me. She tells me of her hobby of catching [illegible] [illegible]. Rested. Up and worked for an hour disentangling a snarl of wool. I took [illegible] for a short walk. Did [illegible] back out after

Gray mild day.
Alfreda and Kate
digging here. Alfreda
came to tell me while
I was having breakfast
in bed. We talked late
for tomorrow & over about
Matilda's birthday.
Then Alfreda went
to have some shoes
mended in Montpelier
Street and on to
Victoria where Kate
joined her. This was
Friday. Peter came
for a [illegible]. So
Thursday. Alfreda
was out but then
back for a bit and
then went to dinner with

Warm showers. [illegible]

Friday, ~~June~~ 22

It was this morning
that Helfrida and Kate
went at Victoria for
Yorkshire after spending
the night here in Kingston
House. Moira tel
and said she was ill
and could not come
to dinner. I fell asleep
in chair Tel Moira
and she says she has
only a headache and
could come to dinner
Monday or Tuesday
at 1 [illegible] and she would
Come to lunch Tomorrow

Saturday June 23

Up 5.15 – As soon as I was dressed. I sat in drawing room for a bit and then rejected inclinations to go to shop and went to my desk and worked all morning on accounts getting them into order. I was there when Ida came to lunch and I found her in drawing room with a glass of sherry. Rested in afternoon and tea and drinks. Evening of aimless dalliance. Bed 11.

Sunday, June 24

1st Sunday after Trinity

Woke 7.30 feeling
very ill and weak
Drew curtains etc
and back to bed.
Rang at 8 and
Matilda brought
hot milk and papers
Bath & dressed down
sat in arm chair at 11
Out to walk in
garden and sat for some
garden chair.
Then Colin [illegible]
for dinner [illegible]
[illegible]
No news of Peter, health
also. Slept. After dinner
nap in chair

Monday, June 25

Mathilda says that
Nonna telephoned that
she is going today to
Moscow for a fortnight
Sat in drawing room for
my glass of milk & told
[illegible] about my glasses
ordered May 22. out
and walked round
garden and sat in garden
chair. Then came back
and sat in the
chair by hearth and had
[illegible]. Then light lunch
of cheese & cake and a
peach. Early to rest.
Got up at 4. Worked
on accounts to 6. Then
tea and later drinks
watching all the time - on
accounts until 11 P.M.
without much [illegible]

Tuesday, June 26

Moura went to Moscow
for a fortnight yesterday
Alfreda telephoned first
off and soon after break-
fast. She and Katie
will come about six
for the night and Katie
will have dinner. Summer
Paterson telephoned to ask
Park Lane Hotel ask will
come to dinner. Out to
walk in garden wearing
my gray suit - for first
time. Dunning [illegible]
evening. Feel tired - sluggish
but less lame. Lunch
and looked at Times
but can't read much
Rested. Up and worked
at my desk. Then joined Alfreda
and Katie. 3 [illegible] Outman

to clean my lovely new Robe

Wednesday, June 27

It seems to have
been a pleasant
day and I have
intended to go for
a walk in the garden
but my desk has
kept me busy and
I have actually got
off a couple of
letters and worked
out a few accounts
Alfred and Kate
have been out
while during lunch. Others
came in to see i I was
really [illegible] but [illegible]
with A [illegible]
Mathias telephoned [illegible]
front door key was
finally found the [illegible]
[illegible]

Thursday, June 28

Alfred went at eleven to get things for the wedding this afternoon with Cornel back for a bit about 5. I think it may be Pinkie's daughter who is getting married. Cold day - rain. I had very pleasant lunch with Lady Haynocks and my dear old friend Mr Ismay and a charming young man named Dunnes I think Martin Murray and stayed on all evening

Friday, June 29

Worked at my desk
after breakfast & bath
and dressing. I think
especially again for
[illegible] and then
went out and on
to the [illegible] followed
by Katie & I intended
to go for walk an
[illegible] but never
got there. Lucy
on a tray as I sat
in chair and after
words had a [illegible]
[illegible]
in bed after that
up [illegible]
[illegible] 6-7 [illegible]
[illegible] dance [illegible] a [illegible]
Sci [illegible] Weston [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Saturday, June 30

Dressed at 10.30
Cant find my shirts — only
the one I wore yesterday
Mrs Alden agrees that
I have six but
explains either
they are in laundry
laundry basket & being
mended etc. I look
at my [illegible]
intended to dress
again but never
got there.

Sunday, July 1

2nd Sunday after Trinity

Sat at my desk
after I got up
and then went out
into the garden. Quite
Pleasant but little
or no sun. Came
back a little before
one o'clock and
then Ida Carrier
came for lunch
and Miss Peller also
is very much engaged
in the class for
this French thesis.
We had a pleasant
luncheon and Peller
and Ida quit a while.
They left here after 3
Rested and just [illegible]
Chris [illegible]

Monday, July 2

Pleasant day. Up
and setting in my
chair at 10:30.
Dr Rupman came to
see me. Out to walk
in lovely sunshine
guided by Cole Hill
morning later. Back
for luncheon 1:15
Luncheon and delicious
before and after eating.
Tea 5 o'c Asleep
in chair before
and after dinner

Tuesday, July 3

up at 7.30 to draw curtains and put on cardigan and dressing down and back to bed for shaving and breakfast. Then bath. Got to my chair about 10.45 Tel. from Elfrida who has a friend with Jus at Amberley and may be in M[illegible] next - get to London this week Out to walk in Garden and sat in the sunshine Lunch of chicken & grapes Got [illegible] in chair but so did not sleep W. Horatia today or tomorrow

Wednesday, July 4

Studied papers on my
desk to see if what
were this to refer to
the Lives of Tales when
to call tomorrow
cl. Kully or they
called me. Also spoke
of my new glasses —
that they are taking
a long time to make
I left prescription May 22
They want me to
call tomorrow 11-12
Kept my milk & whiskey
in drawer. [illegible] room am
later my lunch of olives
& grapes. Rested up.
Early [illegible] fixed up paper
for S. [illegible] [illegible] Att
walk in [illegible] garden

Hal, then and later whiskey
Cold + ginger ale [illegible]

Telephone from Mrs
Lemay asking us to
come to tea at with
Lady Hatdarick to-
morrow. I asked Matilda
to change £1. and she
brought me 8 half
crowns. Did a good
deal towards putting
the confused mass of
papers in my top left
hand desk drawer
in some sort of
order. Cold windy
day. Lunch of cheese
with an apple & grapes
after. I called at Brick
[illegible] but did not see
[illegible] by feet. [illegible] days
Roberts to back called up

[illegible]

[illegible]

Friday July 6

Another Cold grey day
Gladdie Wyndham telephoned which I took in
my bath and asked me
to call her. when I did
she merely asked me if
Gladys Robertson was there
which she is. Lady
Hardwick and I went
in a taxi to lunch with
Mrs Ismay who arrived
from being called to see
her ill sister, after we had
all assembled. One of the
guests with a car
brought us home. I
rested and had tea
and drinks before dinner

Saturday, July 7

Hot sun but cold
wind. Up late
sat at my desk &
in arm chair till
after twelve and then
went for my usual
walk around the
garden. Spoke to
Colin. Rested as
usual in the afternoon
and fell asleep in
my chair after
dinner so that I did
not get to bed till
1.30 after a long
nap. It has been a
summery day but
we really have not
had any spring

Sunday, July 8

3rd Sunday after Trinity

Up late and long time dressing. Sat in easy chair and walked round the garden. Back and reading Observer when Peter came. He is completing his thesis which he seems to be happy about. He is at work fixing up his new house. We had our usual pleasant Sunday luncheon and he stayed till after 3. I had my rest and tea at 6. Then I brought my desk into my room and sat at my desk. Returned spectacles sent by Keeler. Don't fit.

Monday, July 9

Tel. when I was
dressing and got an
appointment at 11 o'c
for Mr Leonard to cut
my hair. Had to
hurry to get there
Made appointment for
tomorrow at 11:30 with
Miss Jones pedicurist
Roger will call at
5:30 about Putnams
left 5 o'c
Rosalie Roger
tel. Then at 5:30
Roger called
and I signed some
documents relating to
the amalgamation of
[illegible] & [illegible]
~~Putnam~~
Head: I had whiskey

Tuesday, July 10

Sat at my desk and then kept 11.30 appointment with chiropodist and manicurist. Back to Kingston House 12.30. Pleasant mild grey day. Mouse gave me a fried egg for luncheon. My H. Mrs Jones the chiropodist is a real old London personality. Rested afternoon. Up for 5 o'c tea and woke feeling for a change. But that's as my feet were cold. Had whisky before and after dinner. Bath & water in glass all the evening

Wednesday, July 11

Man came from
Crowther and took
away Waldo Story's
plaque of Hermes to
put rings in back so
that I can hang it on
the wall. He left the
carved oak frame. The
[illegible] dwellings and
talked to [illegible] Coles.
Lunch in [illegible] tray [illegible]
my room. Rested and
dressed. Matilda out
Mrs Edwards in her place
Hilda came after
about 11 o'c and looked
in to say good-night

Thursday, July 12

Woke about 7.30
and got ready for
breakfast in bed
after which I had my
bath and dressed as
usual nap in chair
and then Lola came
to lunch. She is going
to Scotland for the
Summer. She went
down to the garden
with me and we walked
my usual round and
sat in the big seats.
went to bed as
usual and had
another little nap
up at 5 o'c for supper
tea and drinks
Can't see to read much

Woke up feeling ill
Breakfast in bed, and
did not get up after
Alfreda came to see
me and later Peter
also. He has finished
his thesis design and
gets his degree. Only 14
got degrees of the 90 who
started. Alfreda's
did not drive back
spent the night after
being out late. Lil
Thomas at the place
was awake when
she came in about
1 o'clock and we
said good night.
Country needs rain
and the lawns are
also getting yellow & brown

Saturday, July 14

Rainy day. Alfreda left for Amberley in her car at 10 o'c with Ben Nicolson. Tried to get Mrs Lemay's accountant Telephoned to Butler and tried to telephone to number he gave. No result Later Mrs Lamay heard of my attempt and sent a note round by hand telling me his name is Nesfield I sat on in my chair and half [illegible] of my thinking clutter and I later sent a check to Westminster Lloyds [illegible] [illegible] of a string and slept in chair & Bed about 11 o'c

Sunday, July 15

4th Sunday after Trinity

Read Observer at
breakfast in bed and
dressed after. 10.30 settled
Sat in chair in
room and Peter again
about 12.45 and
it was too far [illegible]
Peter left about 3 to
work on his own
house and I sat in
garden chair and
walked round garden
at about 5.30
after resting from about
3.30 Tea and then dinner
at 6.15 when Kathy
Hardwick came.
Heard Hermann on
telly and then fell
asleep in chair
and slept most of
the evening and bed late

Monday, July 16

Dressed at 9 got
and welcomed the
Mr & Mrs Wadde the
married couple who
are coming temporarily
while Mathilda is on holiday
Matilda showed them
about and stayed to
lunch and then joined
his friends to go off to the
sea. I had my
usual eight hours
of [illegible] & they
[illegible] then my usual
rest. Up for tea and
drinks after dinner
. I da off to the Dorch.
Telephone a cutting
from Sunday Times
telling of Putnam London
sketches

Tuesday, July 17

Sunday Aug. Sat
in chair and fell
asleep and then went
for a walk in garden
at 12.30. Lunch
in dining room. Told Walt
to use table mats not
a diagonal napkin as
table cloth. To rest
3.30 to 5. Sat in
chair by fire. Read
[illegible] on case of
E. Stanard [illegible] in Queen
[illegible] land [illegible]
40 years for buggery
Tea and dinner
in sitting room during
[illegible] a known [illegible]
[illegible]
Times. Nap in chair

Wednesday, July 18

Seems to be another
good summer day.
Breakfast in bed. Read
D. Mail. Dressed
and sat in chair by
fire and spoke at
times but couldn't
read it. Sent £5.0.0
to Nesta Rhys Davies
for Amberley School.
Mrs. Lamdy called for
me in car at 12 M
and took me to see her
oculist who treats
cataract without an
operation. He gave me an
injection in my arm.
Home then and Rested.
Sat by fire all
in afternoon. Tea & [illegible]
dinner.

Ida goes goes to
Scotland for 7 weeks
up 8 o'c; 3 at at
my bath. Evie brought
my hot milk at 10.30
and Jams from Harrods/
Jells to Ellacott and/
Jam A. Henry Claudia
Came to see me
and we talked of
Katherine and Charley
Herbert and all
the family including
Coltman

Friday, July 20

Saturday, July 21

Sunday, July 22

5th Sunday after Trinity

Dr Ripperman called
when I was dressing
and said he would
send me a prescription
for general weakness
Francie Regatta [illegible]
who is here from N.Y.
on her way to Switzerland
with her Charles Adams
to see me at about 12
and was here when Betty
Robertson came for [illegible]
Spoke having taught with
her ex-husband [illegible] and
at [illegible] Park at 3:45
and he left about
[illegible]
[illegible] read.

Tuesday, July 24

Another lovely
sunny day. I sat
in big chair looking
at paper and
of course dropped off
slumped along and
walked round garden
Back soon and
luncheon about 1.30
To rest straight
from dining room.
Left 4 o'c and rang
Dr Savin. He offered
come to see me about
5 o'c and young Dan
called to see her. She
had to go to Weymouth etc
they went back late to
pm early

Wednesday, July 25

Breakfast in bed
brought hesitatingly
by Walt. Sat at
desk as soon as I
dressed and wrote to
Mr Camshurst with £10.
Looked at other papers
and accounts and
sat and walked
around garden.
Came back about
12.15 and soon had
lunch. Went straight
from dinner to bed
to rest till four
read papers till 5.
Sat at desk
Rowan came to
dinner until 11 o'c

Thursday, July 26

Rainy windy morning
Rifiran came to
see me with tablets
and prescriptions they
telephoned that I had
not received The
prescription came this
morning. It had
been delayed in post
Fell asleep in chair
I really [illegible] and
walked round garden
No this was yesterday
a cloudy day [illegible]
Ralph came Sally
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] for
place. Forgot appoint-
ment with dentist
Cant read paper

[illegible]

Up and dressing by
electric fire at [illegible]
and feel alive. Off to
went for turn around
garden and [illegible]
[illegible] with Cotts
and sat on pleasant
bench etc. After tea by
my usual coffee and
later dress. [illegible]
Talk by telephone
with Gladys Robertson
who is spending weeks
[illegible]
Off to bed after at 10.
Had one or two
bursts of [illegible]
with naps in between
later

Saturday, July 28

Out to walk
and sit in garden
after 8/
hot during
all that. I
accosted by little
gardener Calvin [illegible]
Seems ill [illegible] [illegible]
after one o'clock
To rest straight
from dinner. [illegible]
[illegible] up till 4.05
and spent some
time trying to
puzzle ~~out~~ the
papers without
spectacles reading
glasses. [illegible]
[illegible] I am difficult

Sunday, July 29

6th Sunday after Trinity

At my desk at
10:15 and make
yesterday page in
diary. Looks like a
mild gray day.
Paid bills. Out
to sit and walks
around garden
when Peter and
Bobby left after
[illegible] 7 + then ch.
Rested in afternoon
and Margaret phoned
called up after
dinner. She went
come down [illegible] 1 ho.
morning at
think she is going
back to [illegible]
on Wednesday

Monday, July 30

Read headlines of
papers in bed and
Alfreda Telephoned
when I was dressing
She and the three
children are coming
to lunch. Sat in my
Chair and let [illegible]
read letter from [illegible]
Crowhurst. He says
he is getting on very
well Wrote Mr
Plummer who has
just won all the
prizes in the Amberley
flower show. Marcel
Whiting came in
dined

Tuesday, July 31

Last night after
Marion left I fell asleep
in my Chair and then
woke up about 2 or 3
and read Sunday [illegible]
till after 3 o'c. Result
was I slept till after
ten o'c [illegible]
came:- She did not [illegible]
At this present I am
writing on Thursday
night and [illegible]
about what happened
[illegible]. No doubt
[illegible] for a [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

Wednesday, August 1

Woke at 6.30
and made a great
effort to get to sleep
again with such
success that I slept
till 10 a.m. Then [illegible]
breakfast and
did not get
dressed until after
10 a.m. [illegible] feels
Hecate who says
she does not see
how we'll manage
[illegible] [illegible]
out of [illegible]
after they can
afford [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] up
[illegible]
at 6 P.M.

Woke up to another
beautiful day and
resolved to go out
today. Left and
started about 11 o'c
and out for my
pleasant. Then
difficult walking
[illegible] round the
garden not so good
daily headache. [illegible]
easily [illegible] on the
[illegible] and then about
[illegible] sleep. Left at
5 o'c. Tea 6 o'c
Drinks 7 o'c Dinner
8 o'c
on tray and slept.

Friday, August 3

Rather troubled sleep
up 7.15 — usual
routine breakfast
and bath and at my
desk at 10.25 Looked
at papers and
letters Went — did not
accomplish much
Bed well — even good
but though it
was a terribly long
day I am writing
this up 3 days
night and I really
can't remember
what happened
[illegible] I slept
in chair after
dinner and got to
bed late

Saturday, August 4

Birthday of H.M. Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother (1900)

Matildas got money for
old keeps
Salute of guns in
the Park fat noon:
I woke very tired
and weak this morn-
ing. Breakfast lain
in bed and clad and
got to my desk till
about 12. Sat for
a while in my chair
by electric fire. Then
went out into sunny
garden and sat in chair
Feel too feeble to walk
Bacon and egg lunch
Cheese and grapes. Rested
easy chair. Slept and
read
Whisky at 5
Dinner 8, Slept

[illegible] Jordan Died

Sunday, August 5

7th Sunday after Trinity

Felt perhaps a little
less weak; Wrote en-
velopes for glass
tops writes, I should
[illegible] tomorrow
This Op on Tuesday
My eyesight very bad
/ [illegible] felt very
weak and thought
seriously of staying
in bed but Peter
was coming to lunch
as usual and that
was something to get
up for. It is difficult
the Subscribers tonight
Slept afternoon and
evening

Pleasant - sunny morning and sat in the garden. Did not feel strong enough for my usual walks round [illegible] among the [illegible] our little gardens. Colin told she is going to take a job in the country. Reckoned the affairs are as usual. I think Gladys Campbell came back from [illegible] on Sunday with her son. [illegible] phoned me to ask how I was. We had a pleasant talk

Tuesday, August 7

Cold raining morning
Got to my desk at
quarter to eleven
and Mrs Parkin brought
me my hot milk and
whisky at eleven.
I was just starting
to write to Mr Cragshurst
when Dr Chapman came
and we had a pleasant
talk for which I shall
have a bill for 3.10.0
— quite worth it —
Gave Major Becker my
Staff Tel: for August
to Mr Crookshank
Rested after lunch till 6
Moura called after
Asleep in chair after
dinner

Wednesday, August 8

At my desk at 10.15
W. [illegible] Crookhurst
and Hugh Banks
sounded about
paying his £14 every
four weeks. Sat at
my desk all morning
with brief walk in
garden at one o'clock
and so late for
lunch but as I have
only cheese and coffee
it does not matter.
Dozed all afternoon
and up for tea
and drinks. Sleep in
chair all evening and
bed after midnight
when I was ready to go
sleep but [illegible]
[illegible] for company

Thursday, August 9

Not good night. Up by [illegible] by 11. Tried without [illegible] to get Bob's [illegible] by telephone without success! Out for walk and rest in garden sunshine and lunch of cheese and grapes on tray. Long letter and [illegible]. Up [illegible] 5:30 and talked [illegible] and [illegible] papers [illegible] at about seven o'clock. I spent most of evening dozing in my [illegible]. Retired before 12 [illegible] and read Times

Friday, August 10

Pleasant sunny
morning. Read papers
on at least [illegible]
headlines. Sat at
my desk and wrote up
this diary. Planned
to go out but things
kept me at my desk
and that meant [illegible]
effort. [illegible] Robertson
came in [illegible] about
a quarter to one and
we had a pleasant
talk over sherry
lunch she [illegible] [illegible]
there. When she left
about 2.30 I [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] walked the
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. Evening
[illegible] listened to radio for

the [illegible] Times. Talk about [illegible]

Friday, August 10

Pleasant sunny
morning. Read papers
or at least their
headlines. Sat at
my desk and wrote up
this diary. Planned
to go out but things
kept me at my desk
and that meant less
effort. Along Roberta
[illegible] about
a quarter to one and
we had a pleasant
talk over sherry
lunch she did after
where. When she left
about 2:30 I went down
[illegible]
[illegible] Even my
[illegible] to [illegible] for
the book Eric: Talk about [illegible]

Saturday, August 11

My usual oranges
and cup of tea in bed
8.30. No, what I had
then and what I always
have first was hot
water. Oranges and tea
came 9.30. Then
I had my bath and was
at my desk at 11 o'c
Out in garden sun
but cold and high wind
Lunch on tray of cheese
biscuits peach and grapes
Lunch Green followed by
rest. Up to 6 o'c. Tea
on tray in chair by
electric fire. Read T.L.S.
Read Observer. Sent
£2000 to Lloyds Arundel

Sunday, August 12

8th Sunday after Trinity

Sunday August 12
up at my desk by
ten. It seems to take
me a very long time
to dress. Rolled up
and addressed T.L.S
Supplement for Mr Stewart
Sent cheque for £2000
to My Account at
Lloyds Bank Arundel.
Walk in garden with
difficulty and stopping
to rest at all the places and
seats and benches before
back and rest before
lunch and again after
long rest Then once
more the stairs as I think
[illegible] may cause my
lame back. Listened to
[illegible] music all evening

and the rain

Monday, August 13

Grouse Shooting begins

Telephoned to Mr Lever this morning. He is back from his holiday and will come to see me tomorrow at 11 oc. Out and sat in Garden. Maddy gave me my usual luncheon of cheese and grapes. I rested in chair but came early to bed. Woke and got up soon after four. Sat at my desk and struggled with papers with complete failure

Tuesday, August 14

Mr Lucas Jacobs
Hills spent the
morning with me, as
I have asked him to
come every Tuesday,
sorting my current
letters and other papers
and dealing with ding-
[illegible] things
a plus and [illegible]

Wednesday, August 15

Birthday of H.R.H. Princess Anne (1950)

Sat all morning I
at my desk trying
to get things arranged
[illegible] [illegible] arranged
for Mr [illegible] when they
comes back [illegible] tiles [illegible]
It has been a pleasant
day and Tim decided
to go out into the
garden this morning
then I thought I
would go this [illegible]
afternoon but my
feet always in my
chair after tea [illegible]
out [illegible] [illegible] to
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] that
Back also with that of
that whisky to see if
it would make it
ache again

Thursday, August 16

Spent morning at
my desk trying
to arrange things
for Mr Bruce neatly
in my top right
hand drawer. Terribly
tired and sleepy.
My back does not
seem even for long
standing [illegible] long
my legs. Felt better
after my rest as I
generally do. Tea and
sat by [illegible] fire. I had
gone out in gloves this
morning. Cold I wonder
Rest and then sat
by wood fire. Slept
in my chair

Friday, August 17

Up and sitting by
electric fire at 10.45
Out and sat in
garden and talked to
new gardener — an old
man Harvey Miles. He
says he has had
fairly big estate to
look after. Cold day
with wind and sun.
Usual lunch of
biscuits cheese beer
and grapes. Slept
in afternoon and
again after dinner so
deeply in my chair
that I really did not
recover consciousness
when I somehow got to
bed.

Saturday, August 18

Very tired when I woke this morning and hardly able to get up after breakfast. In bed after four. Dressing a terrible labour. And Matilda came back from shopping while I was sleeping and she brought up my meals and I told her to take it into the sitting room and I went there soon after. And then I went into the garden and sat in the chair, but I was too tired to walk round. Back and sat in chair quiet all day. Read Bible after tea

Sunday August 19

9th Sunday after Trinity
Royal Academy Closes

Woke 7.30 went to
sleep again
and woke at 11.30 I
[illegible] 12:30 when I
got down: Sat at
my desk and dealt
with accounts
Matilda thought that
Peter would come to
lunch but I was
quite sure that he
was staying up in the
Hebrides. No one came
to [illegible] or during
[illegible] day
[illegible] in [illegible]
That is by the [illegible]
several [illegible] have
[illegible] on telephones
that my name [illegible] in papers
[illegible]

Monday, August 20

Dr Papman called
when I was in my
bath. I had slept. That
we had a pleasant
talk with nothing
medical about it.
Sat for a bit at
my desk and then
went down and sat
in garden but too weak
for walk round. Lady
Robertson came for
luncheon. She appreciates
Mabel's cooking and
makes a point of
thanking her. Sat
by fire till 8 o'C. Whisky

Birthday of H.R.H. Princess Margaret (1930)

Mr Green came while I was still dressing rather late and we worked together till after one o'c. He checked my accounts and drew cheques for me to sign. Then I went down and sat for a bit in garden. Came back and had cheese lunch in chair. Then rested. Up before 5 o'c Tea and read Sunday Times referring to one & All wet

Wednesday, August 22

Slept this and
woke feeling more
tired than ever
struggled through
dressing and finally
got to my clock at
12.! There was much
to do but I thought
I would rest a bit
in sitting room and
I went to sleep. Woke
and looked at paper
later then lay down but
I could not properly read
them. Sat for a short
time in the sun in the
garden. Lunch about 1:30
I then slept in chair and

could not sleep when I went to Bed

Thursday August 23

Read paper in bed
up and dressed at
10.30 but so tired
after the effort that
I felt I should test
my new armchair by
the electric fire.
Of course when I
got there I fell asleep
and it was 12.15
when I returned to
consciousness. Out
and sat in the sunshine
the sky shining like blue
flowers through the trees
Up for lunch of cheese
and grapes. Rested but
did not sleep and was
hardly conscious when
Rita Smith came in for
dictation

I am writing this
on Sunday as I
really cannot remember
what I did. I think
Mr Hayes of Black
B. and Till came
while I was still
dressing and we
did accounts till
after 1 o'c. The idea
is to have him
with all my cheques
and business letters
and for me simply
to sign them.
I went for a walk in
garden after lunch &
to sleep after dinner

Saturday, August 25

Up at 7.30 and
drew curtains on a
lovely view of the Park's
Marigolds beautiful. My
hot water to drink
and then after my
visit to the bath room
I had my breakfast and
tea on very long table
tray. As usual I got
so tired dressing that
I could only sit in
my chair by the electric
fire. Finally I roused
myself [illegible] we have
garden. Chris [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]
pleasantly [illegible] and stay
up 5.30 [illegible] and then John
Mathews came for drink

Sunday, August 26

10th Sunday after Trinity

Read [illegible] in
bed. Up late and
sat at my desk
at 12. Sent
back glasses to
Keeler and told him
I would pay but did
not want any more
Sat by window [illegible]
and [illegible]
came at four for
lunch. I may expected
tea but probably he
does not get [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] I went to [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] for tea
Sat by fire
5-30
as I had dined on a tray
Matilda [illegible]
[illegible]

Up at my desk 10.30
Read Daily Mail
which I gave to
Mahlon, but did
not look at Times
Thought I would
go out to the garden
but took a long time
getting there
Eileen Fechter arrived
soon after I came back
and I was shocked
at her haggard look
of old age. We had a
pleasant talk and luncheon
She left at 3.15 and I
went to bed but did not sleep
Tea 5 and sat by fire

Tuesday, August 28

Wednesday, August 29

Friday, August 31

Saturday, September 1

Partridge Shooting begins

11th Sunday after Trinity

Monday, September 3

Tuesday, September 4

Wednesday, September 5

Thursday, September 6

A lfs. dk. went back to Amberley. I had breakfast in bed as usual and then got dressed with difficulty and sat in my chair and went to sleep. Henry Grattan came to see me and we talked of family. He wanted to stay to lunch but he had not told me and I sent him off at 1:30. I had cheese on a tray and then went to bed + slept till 5:00. Tea and sat by fire. Moira came to dinner

Friday, September 7

Woke 7.30 Dozed
till 8.30 when [illegible]
and Matilda brought
my hotwater to drink
then at about 8 I shaved
and had my drugs and
tea and then my bath
Dr Rifman back from
holiday called before I
was dressing and cut my
sore toe nail! Then
the window cleaner came
and did the windows I
gave him half a crown as
always do with [illegible]
Then I sat in my chair
after my whisky as I [illegible]
and dropped coffee [illegible]
[illegible] Then [illegible]
[illegible] for dinner

Saturday, September 8

Woke and up 7.30
Put on my cardigan
and silk dressing gown
and back to bed. Then
rang the bell, Mabel's
Mabel's usually brought my
hot water followed by the
usual bath [illegible]
Fergusons: Then breakfast
bath and dressed. [illegible] bed
Sat in garden, [illegible] there was
no sunshine, fell asleep
and [illegible]
Ada [illegible] in her shop
when I went to go at 3. Then
up for tea 5. [illegible] back from
[illegible] telephoned. Then
and whiskey. After dinner
Gladys Reader called
up

Sunday, September 9

12th Sunday after Trinity

At my desk and
drank my hot milk
and whiskey 10.30
Made out cheque for
Matilda housekeeping
for the week £15 13 6
Out and sat for a
bit in garden but
did not attempt to
walk round. Soon
came back to as
ready for Peter who
came about 12.30
We had dry sherry [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
with [illegible] in [illegible]
and [illegible] [illegible] cheers
He is doing up his new
house [illegible] gives
[illegible] of £30 to [illegible]
[illegible]. Then tea and late
Rested. whiskey by fire

Monday, September 10

Woke early and did not sleep again. Up 8 feeling very tired and sore So in the process of dressing. Never felt weaker and only able to get to my Chair by the electric fire when I fell asleep again. Matilda tried to get a Turkish towel to make a bath cloth. She got a nice bath towel but not just what I wanted. I decided Stephen is to go to Baker Street Room and looked [illegible] [illegible] garden. Rest [illegible] [illegible].

Tuesday, September 11

Mr Lever arrived
from Tells while I was
still dressing and we
worked all morning
on accounts and paying
bills. Arranged for him
to come every other
Saturday morning when
he can come on his
own for less than when
he comes from train.
Finished typ draft &
glass of sherry at 1:30
Lunch after shave and
rested. Tea and whiskey
and fell asleep in chair
after dinner. Then bed
10:30

Wednesday, September 12

Not as lame but as
tired as ever. Up 9:30
Read papers in chair
Have been sympathetic
with Soblen and so
has Peter. He stabbed
himself when they was
taking him to America
and died in hospital
His wife came from
America and was at his
side. Fell asleep

Thursday, September 13

Friday, September 14

Woke 7 o'c but
Saturday, September 15
soon Lyne to ring for
Matilda before 7.30
though she may be up
much earlier. Had
Daily Mirror and had
breakfast in bed. Release
of William John Vassall
Heard of recording
went all the police. Looks
a nice day. Up in chair
at 10.15. Sat in
sunny garden

Sunday, September 16

13th Sunday after Trinity

Monday, September 17

Tuesday, September 18

Sitting at the fire
side at 10.30 Dr
Reppman came & sat
out and we had a
pleasant talk. Thus
my hot milk & whiskey
and I let my wood fire

I am writing this
at 9 P.M. Gladys
Robertson and I talked
for I was more or less
all right and just
having a glass of whiskey
and she is an [illegible]
and warned me about
drinking and perhaps
feeling as we both
feel I liked nothing
to do with drinks.
I was just getting out of
bed like a [illegible] [illegible]
Matilda and I guess
had a fair time
with Agnes here. Was
she has gone out

Thursday, September 20

Friday, September 21

Saturday, September 22

Dr Ruppar called just as I was in trouble in bath room. I left the scene and we had a pleasant talk. He assures me to straight. Mr Lo stayed up before I was dressed [illegible] worked on account to tally 12.50. Catharine had cheese and grapes with me. Then we sat in garden and she went to [illegible] theater. Rather. Talk about Aunt Kate and Roxbury and family.

Sunday, September 23

14th Sunday after Trinity

Catharine went to
Church at the
Brompton Parish Church
I sat at my desk and
worked on Jappy Series
Wonder el. Effie and
Thomas and Bobbie
came to luncheon.
I rested in the afternoon
I think Catharine and
Alfreda were out to
dinner and Monica came
in, She went home very
early and they came
in late after I had
gone to bed and I
heard them.

Monday, September 24

Catharine and I went to post office & I gave her air mail stamps.

Tuesday, September 25

Wednesday, September 26

Thursday, September 27

Friday, September 28

Up late and Catharine
and I went together Harro-
ds and got a
new coat very
attractive and becoming.
Alfreda was out
at lunch then but
she came in at tea
time and Alfreda
showed her the things
which she approved
which I was glad of.
Then she went out
again to dinner and
after which Catharine
and I had tea and
drinks. Alfreda took
Catharine to Amberley
for Sunday

Saturday September 29

QUARTER DAY (Michaelmas Day)

I sat at my desk
[illegible]
and did [illegible]
It was a [illegible]
and I sat in the garden
had luncheon [illegible]
Mary and [illegible]
a [illegible]
[illegible] day
[illegible] there
[illegible] is
the afternoon [illegible]
[illegible] hard [illegible]
more than ever [illegible]
[illegible] tell [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] coming
that [illegible] 4.30 [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
about ten

Sunday, September 30

15th Sunday after Trinity

Sat at my desk and
read Mallghes book

Monday, October 1

Pheasant Shooting begins
Michaelmas Law Sittings begin

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16th Sunday after Trinity

Monday, October 8

Tuesday, October 9

Wednesday, October 10

Thursday, October 11

Friday, October 12

For the last week or so I seem to have been under the weather In fact I have not been right since my broken hip of

Saturday, October 13

Sunday, October 14

17th Sunday after Trinity

Monday, October 15

Tuesday, October 16

Matilda brought me
breakfast in bed and
took Catharine here.
She had called my
with hot water to
drink. Dr. [illegible]
has been to see me
the last few days
~~but~~ not much
any medical attention
I slept in my chair
this morning and in
bed this afternoon
Mabel Stephens called
up [illegible] phone for
Catharine [illegible] out
She date with Robert
Jackson and went to
[illegible]

Matilda brought me
my breakfast in bed
and then after my bath
I got up and sat in my
arm chair by the electric
fire and very soon fell
asleep. I saw Catherine
briefly and then she went
walk through Brompton
Churchyard to Joan the
Lindleys. When she
came back Mabel took
called for her and took
her to lunch in her car.

Thursday, October 18

Breakfast in bed
Matilda brought
me my milk and
whiskey sitting in
my chair about 11
Catharine went
out to Jones in
Brompton Rd. where
she made friends with
Mr Dane. Bobby came
to lunch on his St Lukes
holiday and put C on
her bus for Cecilia at
Brompton Court. I slept
as usual. Tea at 5.15

Friday, October 19

Mabel came in to take Rebecca to to see some modern pictures. No Alfred came later and Mabel came to take Catherine to see the pictures. Then Catherine and I had a quiet evening

Saturday, October 20

Catharine went
with John to the
bag school Pinewood
in Berkshire
Catharine came
back just in time
for dinner and
we went to bed
early

Sunday, October 21

Trafalgar Day
18th Sunday after Trinity

Catharine & I walked round the garden in the morning and then Peter and Thomas came to lunch. I slept as usual in the afternoon. Catharine went to see Cleays Robertson and then we had a quiet evening and early to bed.

Monday, October 22

Catherine and I
went in the morning
to Cameo Corner
where we got from
that Cook cuff links
for Thomas. He was
at school as his
Head Parent Sir
Basil Zaharoff
and all too handsome
Then I got a a
gold heart brooch
for Catherine.
Dined afterwards. The
Mabel Hopkins and Alfreda
Anne [illegible] Betty Chambers
Called in the evening

Tuesday, October 23

Alfreda called about 8.30 and took Catherine in car to airport. I had breakfast in bed and then bath and dressed and by that time I was so tired I could only sit in my chair by the electric fire. My eye-sight seems to get worse and Dr Neufeld cannot seem tell

Cold sunny day out and sat in garden chair.

Wednesday, October 24

Breakfast in bed
and read Times till 5 p.
and Time of at least
rest there - time and
pictures then bath and
dressed leisurely
Then I was so exhaust-
ed I sat again by
electric fire and Harper's
[illegible]
Then went to bed and
rested when I felt I
needed but I did get
sleep [illegible] after
Mrs Lamar came for
me and took me for
drive [illegible] walking
[illegible]
[illegible] home
Motor out - Mrs Edwards
served dinner

Thursday, October 25

Up fairly early and out at my desk. Meant to do some clearing up but it is hopeless. Perhaps Rita Smith can do something. Gladys Robertson came very pleasantly to lunch and Marcia to dine. Br at 3:30 I went down alone and did a certain amount of desultory accounting before. Telephoned Mrs Reynolds feeling and I picked up eggs appointment early for [illegible]

Friday, October 26

Another wet day
At my desk 10:30
Dr. Tupman called at
11. Just a friendly visit
No talk of medicine

Saturday October 27

Dr Pepper Cans
[illegible] I was
just [illegible] for [illegible]
I and I eat together. [illegible]
by the fire place and
electric ~~[illegible]~~ [illegible]
Peter and [illegible]
as came [illegible] Lester in the
sitting [illegible] falls
asleep after 11

Sunday, October 28

19th Sunday after Trinity

Breakfast in bed
Read Observer –
up bath and dressed
Sat half asleep in
chair by fire place
Out for glass in
garden. Peter and
Thomas pleasantly to
lunch. I had gone out
for walk in garden 12.30
Rested in afternoon
up and tea 6.30
Then dozed in chair
till dinner was
brought. After that
I rested in chair

Monday, October 29

Woke up. Had not put clock forward so had an hour in my hands. Mobile [illegible] my [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] till 11 before [illegible] [illegible] 8.30: Read TV till dinner and out with [illegible] [illegible] a [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Tuesday, October 30

I can't remember the past.

Wednesday, October 31

I am writing this the day after and my mind very is very uncertain but till [illegible] Dr Reffman came to see me in the morning and Lady Robertson telephoned in the evening to inquire

Thursday, November 1

Fox Hunting begins

Spent morning of
on letter to
Dr Nesfield's Secretary
W. Mrs Hey away for
for Dr Nesfield.
I slept all this
evening in [illegible]
and watching [illegible]
to bed an undressed
in half asleep

Nov 7. 45 [illegible]
brought at 9 o'c when
I was still in bed. My
getting up did not
melodi drawn 7. At
[illegible] when I was
dressing Dr Ripman
called and we had a
pleasant talk with no
reference to medicines
Mrs Parker (if that being not
her name)
milk at eleven.

M. Lucas called

Saturday, November 3

and we spent the morning at accounts with sherry after. Rested all afternoon and was not up till 6:15 when Matilda brought me tea with no sherry. Slept in chair all evening or half slept. At 10:30 Matilda roused me and got me to my bedroom and then practically undressed me.

Sunday, November 4

20th Sunday after Trinity

Bad pain in back all day. Stayed in bed. Had my first milk and water but then nothing else all day. Slept most of the time but looked at the readings in the Observer. Got up in the evening

Monday, November 5

Got up and dressed
leisurely at 7:30
Breakfast [illegible]
at [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] lunch
[illegible] [illegible] called and
[illegible] Peter
we had pleasant
talk but I could not
stay to dinner [illegible]
[illegible] 20 [illegible] [illegible] called
[illegible] and Lee
[illegible]
We had a dinner [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] Matilda [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
for [illegible] drink after
dinner. Slept

Tuesday, November 6

Dr Rapson called
when I was in my
bath and I saw this
dripping in my bath
towels. I suppose from
Monica who has left
[illegible] [illegible]
as children
Matilda [illegible]
At one o'clock he
and began [illegible]
with Deborah
afternoon in my Chas
sat in my
as usual [illegible] after
him [illegible]

Wednesday, November 7

Mild rainy day
I looked at papers
and got up late
Sat in my chair
half asleep and
after lunch I went
to rest in my chair
At about 3
I went for a walk
round the garden
and then came in
and had lunch in
my chair

Thursday, November 8

Matilda called me
at 7 which was
just as well as by
that time I had
forgotten my 10:30
appointment with Dr
Neufeld which I had
remembered all night.
He gave me a pleasant
session and an injection
for the area of
my eyes. [illegible]
[illegible] before [illegible]
Rested before [illegible] and
[illegible] came for me 5:30
[illegible] Paul

Dr Robinson came

Friday, November 9

when I was dressed
which was a difficult
process. We talked
for quarter of an hour
about everything
except my health —
After he left I was so
weak that I got into my chair
only [illegible]
doze.

Extremely
weak and feeble.
Bath and dressing
hard work & Could only
sit in my easy chair
by the electric fire and
go to sleep again. Rain and
fog. at 12:30 [illegible] Margaret
[illegible] in doors [illegible]
[illegible] meal [illegible]
[illegible] George
[illegible]
again after line [illegible]
about 13 CC.

21st Sunday after Trinity
Remembrance Sunday

Woke at 7:30
Dressed ready 8:30
but not race so
I went out and walked
round the garden for
and lunch 1 o'clock
Then talked in [illegible]
bed
then went to bed
up and tea 6 o'c
and [illegible] Cans
[illegible]
for a drinks and
pleasant talk.

Monday, November 12

Tuesday, November 13

Birthday of H.R.H. The Prince of Wales (1948)

Thursday, November 15

Bruce Lockhart
came to [illegible] this
evening at 4 o'c and
we had drinks together
by my bedside. He was
going to dinner with
Monty tonight or tomorrow

Friday, November 16

Saturday, November 17

Sunday, November 18

22nd Sunday after Trinity

Monday, November 19

Wednesday, November 21

Thursday, November 22

Friday, November 23

Saturday, November 24

[illegible] their and [illegible]

fashion [illegible]

for [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

Sunday, November 25

23rd Sunday after Trinity

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